# INFORMATION REGARDING THE BODOLAND UNIVERSITY COMMON ENTRANCE TEST (BUCET) FOR B.Ed./M.Ed COURSE, 2023 IN THE COLLEGES/DIET INSTITUTES UNDER BODOLAND UNIVERSITY

# A. The Programme

The Two-Year B. Ed/M.Ed Programme in affiliated Colleges/DIET of Bodoland University is recognized by the National Council forTeacher Education (NCTE) and is offered by the NCTE recognized Secondary Teacher Education Institutions affiliated to/ recognized by Bodoland University.

# **B.** Duration of the Programme:

**Two Years (Four Semesters)** 

# C. Eligibility Criteria for Admission

- **A. Eligibility:** Eligibility criteria for admission to the B. Ed/M.Ed Programme of Bodoland University shall be as follows:
  - (a) Candidate with at least 50% marks (in Aggregate) either in the Bachelor's Degree (B.Ed degree for M.Ed course) from the recognized university.
    - \*\* A candidate securing 50% marks or more in the Honours / Major subject but less than 50% in aggregate in all the courses / papers of the Bachelor's degree will notbe eligible for admission to B.Ed. programme, as the requirement is 50% marks in the aggregate.
  - (b) Candidate must clear the Common Entrance Test conducted by Bodoland University for the academic session, 2023-24.
- **D. Relaxation:** In the eligibility criteria, a relaxation of 5% in the qualifying marks shall be provided to the candidates belonging to the ST & SC categories
- **E. Reservation:** As per the Statutory Reservation Policy.

Candidates who have appeared in the Degree final examinations are eligible for appearing in the B. Ed/M.Ed Common Entrance Test, 2023. However, admission of such candidates shall be considered as purelyprovisional and they shall have to submit the Degree Qualifying documents within the stipulated time.

#### F. Selection Criteria for Admission

Selection for admission into the B.Ed./M.Ed Programme in any institution under Bodoland University will be based on the following:

\*\* A Common Entrance Test (CET) to be conducted centrally, which will carry a maximum of 100 marks.

\*\*\* Followed by Common Admission Counseling to be conducted by Bodoland University

#### G. The B.Ed. /M.Ed. Common Entrance Test

A Common Entrance Test will be conducted by Bodoland University to provisionally select candidates for admission into the B.Ed./M.Ed Programme offered by the affiliated colleges.

#### H. Application Procedure for the B.Ed. CET 2023

# **Application Procedure for the B.Ed. CET 2023**

- Online Registration for submission of Application Form will begin from 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2023.
   Application for B.Ed./M.Ed. Common Entrance Test is through online mode only. No other means of application accepted. The last date for submission of application is 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023 (mid night)
- 2. For submission of the *Online Application Form*, intending candidates are advised to follow the following instructions:
  - a) The candidate shall be required to visit the website- <a href="www.buniv.edu.in">www.buniv.edu.in</a> and go through the 'Click here to Apply' Link in the portal.
  - b) The Candidates are suggested to read carefully the Process-flow or the Instructions before going to the Next step.
  - c) On clicking the *Next* button, the Online Application Form shall be displayed. The Candidates need to fill-up all information correctly. Please note that all fields of the Application Form are mandatory.
  - d) During filling-up the Application Form, the Candidate need to create a *Password* according to their choice for subsequent log-in to pay *Application Fee* and *Final Submission*.
  - e) After completion of the filling-up of the Form and uploading of the Photograph, documents and Signature, the Candidate needs to click the button- 'Submit and Proceed for Payment of the Application Fee' of Rs.700/- only.
  - f) In the next page, the candidate needs to log-in by entering the *Mobile No.* and *Password* for Fee Payment.
  - g) On Payment of the Fees, 'Your Final Submission is done. You may take print out of your Application Form.
  - h) The Candidate shall have to take a print out of the Admit Card and bring the same to the Examination Hall on the Date of the Test for verification.
  - i) The Submission of Online Application Forms shall be automatically closed after the last date.
- 3. There shall be no alternative procedure for Application for applying to the B.Ed./M.Ed. Common Entrance Test, 2023 and the University shall not receive any Application *except through the procedure mentioned at (2) above*.

Important Note: The University shall not verify the eligibility of a candidate at the time of receiving their Application Forms and issuing Admit Card to them. The candidates not fulfilling the minimum eligibility criteria shall not be debarred from appearing the B.Ed./M.Ed. Common Entrance Test, 2023.

However, their candidature shall not be considered at the time of admission to the B.Ed./M.Ed. Programes conducted by Bodoland University and its affiliated colleges. Hence, the intending candidates are requested to ensure for themselves the fulfillment of the minimum eligibility criteria for admission into the B.Ed. Programme.

#### I. Format for the B.Ed./M.Ed. Common Entrance Test

The Entrance Test shall carry a total of 100 marks consisting of Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) on the following areas:

- 1. General English (20)\*
- 2. General Knowledge (20)
- 3. Test of Reasoning (20)
- 4. Numerical ability (20)
- 5. Teaching Aptitude (20)

The test will be of two hours duration from 11:00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

#### J. Instructions to the Candidates regarding the Test

The candidate will have to mark the answers **only in the OMR Sheet,** which shall be provided along with the Test-Booklet at the time of the Examination.

The Candidates are requested to read carefully the instructions given in the Cover page of the Question Booklet as well as in the OMR Sheet of the B.Ed./M.Ed. Common Entrance Test, 2023.

#### K. Centres of the B.Ed. CET, 2023

The Common Entrance Test will be conducted in the following Test Centres\*:

- 1. Kokrajhar Govt. College, Kokrajhar
- 2. U.N. Academy, Kokrajhar
- 3. St. Ann's College, Debargaon, Kokrajhar
- 4. Gossaigaon B.Ed. College, Gossaigaon
- 5. Birjhora Kanya Mahavidhyalaya, Bongaigaon
- 6. Bijni College, Bijni
- 7. B.H. College, Howly, Barpeta
- 8. Nalbari College, Nalbari
- 9. Barama College, Udalguri
- 10. Udalguri College, Udalguri
- 11. DIET, Morigaon

<sup>\*</sup> The Test Centres may take more than one Venue at the nearby Colleges/Institutes in order to ensure physical distancing among the candidates.

# L. Documents/ Materials to be uploaded with the B.Ed./M.Ed Common Entrance Test Application Form

- a. One coloured passport size photograph of the candidate.
- b. Signature of the Candidate.
- c. Final Year Grade Sheet
- d. H.S.L.C. Admit card
- e. Caste/NCL/EWS Certificate

### M. Schedule

Online Application portal activates on : 25.06.2023

Last Date for Submission of the online Application : 20.07.2023

Date of the B.Ed. CET, 2023 : 30.07.2023

Date for the Declaration of the Result : by 04.08.2023

Sd-Academic Registrar Bodoland University