



# DIAMOND HARBOUR WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY

Diamond Harbour Road, Sarisha, 24 PGS (South)-743368

## ADMISSION NOTICE FOR Ph.D, 2023-24

Applications are invited from eligible candidates (**women only**) willing to take admission to the Ph.D. programme for the academic session 2023-24.

### Provisional Department wise Seat Matrix for Admission to Ph.D. programme 2023-24

Sl. No.	Subject	Specialization	Total Seat
1.	Bengali	Katha Sahitya - 1	Total Seat = 7 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
		Modern Bengali Literature-2	
		Open -2	
		Stylistics -1	
		Socio-Linguistics -1	
2.	English	Neo-Victorian Studies, Gender Studies - 2	Total Seat = 4 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
		Cultural Studies - 1	
		Indian Diaspora and Post-Colonialism - 1	
3.	Education	Educational Technology / Educational Psychology - 2	Total Seat = 5 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
		Special Education/ Teacher Education/ Educational Psychology -1	
		Mathematics Education/ Teacher Education / Educational Psychology/ Special Education -1	
		Special Education / Educational Technology/ Educational Psychology / Comparative Education -1	
4.	History	Open - 3	Total Seat – 3 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
5	Political Science	Marginalised Policy Dynamics in India / Quantitative and Qualitative Methods - 2	Total Seat – 4 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
		Gender Studies / Indian Political Thought / Ethnicity - 2	
6.	Philosophy	Social and Political Philosophy / Existentialism/ Contemporary Indian	Total Seat – 1 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)

		Philosophers / Practical Ethics - 1	
7.	Chemistry	Surfactant Science and Polymer Science - 2	Total Seat = 6 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
		Nano-science and Bio-inorganic chemistry - 1	
		Bio-inorganic chemistry and Protein biochemistry - 2	
		Molecular Spectroscopy - 1	
8	Geography	Physical / Environment Geography - 1	Total Seat = 6 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
		Human Geography - 2	
		Social / Urban / Environment / Tourism Geography - 2	
		Physical / Environment Geography -1	
9.	Mathematics	General Topology - 1	Total Seat = 4 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
		Fluid Mechanics - 1	
		Bio-Mathematics - 1	
		Integral equation and water waves theory -1	
10	Zoology	Cell and Molecular Biology / Cancer Biology/ Parasitology/ Immunology / Ecology - 7	Total Seat = 7 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
11.	Physics	Atomic and Molecular Physics - 2	Total Seat = 4 (Reservation as per Govt. norms)
		Material Science - 2	

The following documents must be attached along with the application form :

- (1) Madhyamik / Equivalent Examination
- (2) Higher Secondary/Equivalent Examination
- (3) Bachelor's Degree
- (4) Master's Degree
- (5) M.Phil (if applicable)
- (6) Migration Certificate (if applicable)
- (7) NET / SET/ SLET/GATE (if applicable)
- (8) Bank Draft
- (9) Others (please specify)

## **Information's regarding Ph.D. programme:**

### **1. Eligibility Criteria:**

Women candidates having a Master's degree in her own discipline or in an equivalent subject or a degree declared equivalent to Masters degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade "B" in the UGC 7 point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) or an equivalent degree from foreign educational institution accredited by an Assessment and Accreditation Agency, may apply for admission to the Ph.D. programme. There will be a relaxation of 5% of marks or an equivalent relaxation of grade for SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/ differently abled candidates.

### **2. Selection Procedure:**

The following procedures will be adopted for the selection of eligible candidates in Ph.D. Programme.

- a. The admission to Ph.D. programme would be on the basis of Research Eligibility Test (RET) and it is to be conducted by the concerned department followed by an interview for the candidates qualifying in RET.
- b. The candidates who have qualified NET/SLET/SET/GATE or any other equivalent examinations are exempted from RET and can appear directly in the interview.
- c. The candidates who have qualified M.Phil. in the subject concerned under UGC regulation 2009 would be exempted from RET and to be considered for appearing before the interview board.

The candidates qualified NET/SLET/SET/GATE or any other equivalent examinations, qualified M.Phil. in the subject concerned under UGC regulation 2009 and qualified in RET will have to appear in an interview with a **research proposal (1000 words)**.

### **3. Duration of Ph.D. programme:**

The Ph.D. programme shall be for a minimum duration of three years, including course work and a maximum of six years. As per the guidelines of the UGC, women candidates and Persons with Disability (more than 40% disability) may be allowed a relaxation of two years in the maximum duration. In addition, women candidates may be provided Maternity Leave/Child Care Leave once in the entire duration of Ph.D. for a maximum period of 240 days.

**4. Reservation Policies:** As per Govt. Rules.

**5. Application Fees: Rs. 1000/- (Rupees One Thousand only). A Bank Draft of Rs. 1000/- in favour of Diamond Harbour Women's University payable at Diamond Harbour is to be attached with the application form.**

## 6. Application Procedure:

Candidates are requested to download the PDF format of the **application form** from the University website i.e. [www.dhwu.ac.in](http://www.dhwu.ac.in) and submit the duly filled-in application form along with attested supporting documents and Bank Draft of Rs. 1000/-. The application should be sent by **Registered/Speed Post only** to the following address. No application will be received by hand.



**Registrar  
Diamond Harbour Women's University  
Diamond Harbour Road, Sarisha  
24 Parganas (South), Pin: 743368  
West Bengal**

## 7. Important Dates:

- Last date of receiving the application forms: **12<sup>th</sup> January, 2024 (within 5 pm)**
- Date of Research Eligibility Test (RET) Examination: **22<sup>nd</sup> January, 2024**
- Date of publishing list of candidates eligible for interview: **30<sup>th</sup> January, 2024**
- Date of interview: **05<sup>th</sup> – 09<sup>th</sup> February, 2024**
- Date of publishing the list of selected candidates: **16<sup>th</sup> February, 2024**
- Dates of admission: **19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2024**

## General Rules:

1. The students will have to abide by the rules and regulations of the Diamond Harbour Women's University.
2. Any up gradation of marks (due to review, inadvertent mistake or otherwise) will not be entertained at the time of counseling / admission.
3. Ragging is a punishable offence and students are required to submit an affidavit of Anti-ragging.

**Note: The Doctor of Philosophy programmes will be governed by the Regulations relating to Doctor of Philosophy of Diamond Harbour Women's University and UGC Regulations published on 13th July 2016 (UGC Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of Ph.D. Degrees Regulations, 2016), UGC Amendment, 2018 and subsequent UGC regulations in this regard from time to time.**

Candidates are requested to visit the website [www.dhwu.ac.in](http://www.dhwu.ac.in) on regular basis for updated information.

**By order**

**Application Form for Admission in Ph.D**

Application No: .....

**DIAMOND HARBOUR WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY**  
**Diamond Harbour Road, Sarisha, 24 PGS (South)-743368**

**Application Form for admission in Ph.D. in .....(Subject)**

Name (in capital letters): .....

Date of Birth: .....

Marital Status: .....Nationality: .....

Religion: ..... Category (please tick): UR/ SC/ ST/OBC-A/OBC-B:

Address of the applicant with Pin code:

Present Address : .....  
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Permanent Address : .....

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Phone Number: .....

Email Id: .....

Aadhaar No. : .....

Guardian's Name: .....

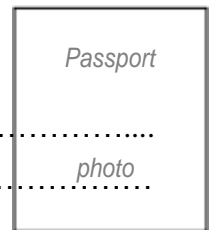
Guardian's Occupation: .....

Guardian's Address: .....

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Guardian's Phone Number: .....

Relationship with Guardian: .....



Particulars of Academic Career:

Examination	Board/ Council/ University	Subject(s)	Total Marks	Marks Obtained	Percentage	Remarks (if any)
10 <sup>th</sup> Standard/ M.P						
12 <sup>th</sup> Standard / H.S						
Bachelor of Arts / Science (Hon)						
M.A / M.Sc						
M.Phil						
Others						

Research Experience (if any give details): .....

Whether Qualified NET/SET/SLET/GATE: .....

Details of Employment (if any): .....

(Candidates have to submit a No Objection certificate issued by the Employer at the time of admission if required)

**Details of Application Fees:**

Bank Draft No.: ..... Date: .....

Name of the Bank ..... Branch .....

**(Attach the bank draft)**

**Declaration**

All the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. If I am selected for admission I will abide by the Rules & Regulations of Diamond Harbour Women’s University. If any informations found false and incorrect my candidature will be cancelled.

Date: .....

Submit supporting documents along with the application.

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**Full Signature of the Applicant**

