



NOTIFICATION

In pursuance of the recommendations of the Convener Admission Committee, and in accordance with Section 15(1) of Act X of 2018 of the University of Narowal, the Vice Chancellor is pleased to approve the following Admission Policy for Ph.D. Programs for the Fall-2026 intake:

UNIVERSITY OF NAROWAL ADMISSION POLICY FOR PH.D. DEGREE PROGRAMS

GENERAL CRITERIA

1) The University of Narowal shall commence online admissions for all Ph.D. programs listed in **Annexure-I**. Admissions will be processed through the University's online admission portal, in accordance with the advertisement published in print media, electronic media, and on billboards, under the semester system and on an open merit basis only. All eligible applicants (Male / Female / Transgender) may apply without any discrimination for admission to the University of Narowal.

1.1 All Ph.D. Programs shall be full-time (morning) programs.

1.2 Admission merit shall be calculated/determined as per criteria mentioned in **Annexure-II**.

1.3 Only complete application(s) along with following compulsory documents shall be processed:

- a. Candidate's passport size photograph (with blue background).
- b. Copies of all transcripts/degrees issued by respective Board, Institute & University at the time of application (Attested by Gazetted Officers.)
- c. The university reserves the right to cancel the admission at any stage of the degree if any discrepancy, submission of fake documentation, or concealment of facts found at any stage.
- d. Applicants shall deposit amount of Rs. 1000/- (Non-Refundable) against each program applied for admission. Challan form for admission processing fee will be generated at online admission portal, and student shall upload the copy of paid challan at online admission portal of University of Narowal.

1.4 The admission calendar will be provided on the online admission portal and will also be circulated among applicants through the University's website, WhatsApp channel and official Facebook page before the commencement of admissions.

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1.5 Semester dues shall be refunded (if requested) as per following policy:

Sr. #	Particular	Policy
1.	Full (100%) Fee Refund	Up to 7 th day of commencement of classes OR 7 th day of deposit in case fee is deposited after commencement of classes
2.	Half (50%) Fee Refund	From 8 th to 15 th day of commencement of classes OR 8 th to 15 th day of deposit in case fee is deposited after commencement of classes.
3.	No (0%) Fee Refund	From 16 th day of commencement of classes OR 16 th day of deposit in case fee is deposited after commencement of classes.
4.	Due to low percentage in Last / Terminal Degree	The result will be compiled by the department with in fifteen (15) working days. After declaration of result the whole fee (100%) will be refunded.
5.	Irrelevant Terminal Degree to the course applied	The whole fee (100%) will be refunded within current fifteen (15) days after lacuna/ambiguity identified.
6.	Non-Commencement of any program due to low intake of students or any other reason	The whole fee (100%) will be refunded within notified by the registrar office. It will be the fifteen (15) days after the decision is properly responsibility of the department to inform the student regarding Serial No 4, 5 and 6.
7.	Dropped Out students due to low CGPA	The challan form of those shall be blocked who do not qualify promotion criteria. The whole fee (100%) will also be refunded to the non-going students who have deposited their fee for the subsequent semester but dropped in earlier semester.

Note: % age of fee shall be applicable on all components, except for security and admission charges. Timeline shall be calculated continuously covering both weekdays and weekend.

1.5.1 The candidates shall apply for fee refund through Head of Department and Director Students Affair with in time period mentioned above.

1.5.2 The Director Students Affairs shall forward the same to the Treasurer Department for further course of action along with following documents:

- Fee refund form duly signed/stamped by HOD and DSA.
- Notification of commencement of classes
- Proof of admission cancellation
- Original fee paid challan

1.6 Merit List of selected candidates shall be displayed on Notice Boards, University Website and official Facebook page as per Admission Calendar.

1.7 An applicant can file the admission grievance(s) (if any) along with all required documents in the admission office for redressal within two working days after the display of the merit list(s).

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1.8 All the selected candidates shall appear in the Admission Office along with all credentials (in original), CNIC / B-Form, two passport size fresh photograph with blue background and two sets of attested copies of all credentials placed in an ordinary paper folder within stipulated time before the notification / display of the next merit list to get bank Challan for the semester fee / dues and securing of admission.

1.9 The admission dues / fee shall be deposited during the stipulated period on admission calendar in The Bank of Punjab, (any branch) and a copy of same shall have to be deposited in the Admission Office for semester registration.

1.10 In case the semester fee / dues are not deposited within stipulated time and original copy of fee paid challan not submitted in the admission office, admission offer shall stand cancelled.

1.11 Subject to the availability, for hostel facility preference shall be given to the candidates having domicile other than District Narowal (Merit based).

1.12 There is no upper age limit for Ph.D. applicants.

1.13 Considering minimum required number of students per section/class and the University resources, the University reserves the right for not offering any degree program(s).

1.14 The number of students in each section for all M.Phil. programs shall range from 15 to 25, except for the M.Phil. Food Science and Technology program, where the number of students shall range from 15 to 24.

1.15 Government employees must submit their applications along with a No Objection Certificate (NOC) issued by their parent institution/department.

1.16 The details of the Ph.D. Degree Programs offered and the respective eligibility criteria are given below:

ANNEXURE-I	
PH.D. DEGREE PROGRAMS OFFERED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF NAROWAL	
Degree Programs	Eligibility Criteria
1. Ph.D. in Biochemistry	i. MS/M.Phil. in Biochemistry or a relevant field including: a. Biotechnology

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">b. Molecular Biologyc. Biological Sciencesd. Microbiology and Molecular Geneticse. Forensic Sciencef. Chemistry with specialization in Biochemistryg. Any other relevant qualification deemed equivalent. <ul style="list-style-type: none">ii. At least 60% marks in University Admission Test / GRE / HAT Subject / equivalent tests, with a passing score of 60%.iii. A minimum CGPA 3.0 (out of 4.0 in the Semester System) or 60% marks (in the Annual System) attained in eighteen years of education.
2. Ph.D. in Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none">i. MS/M.Phil. (18 years of education) in Chemistry or any of its specialized areas.ii. At least 60% marks in GRE / HAT Subject / equivalent tests, with a passing score of 60%.iii. A minimum CGPA 3.0 (out of 4.0 in the Semester System) or 60% marks (in the Annual System) attained in eighteen years of education.
3. Ph.D. in Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none">i. MS/M.Phil. /Equivalent degree in Education.ii. At least 60% marks in GRE / HAT Subject / equivalent tests, with a passing score of 60%.iii. A minimum CGPA 3.0 (out of 4.0 in the Semester System) or 60% marks (in the Annual System) attained in eighteen years of education.
4. Ph.D. in Management Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none">i. MS/M.Phil. or equivalent (18 years of education) degree in Business Education.ii. Minimum 60% marks in the University Admission Test / GRE Subject / HAT Subject / equivalent test.iii. A minimum CGPA 3.0 (out of 4.0 in the Semester System) or 60% marks (in the Annual System) attained in eighteen years of education.

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5. Ph.D. in Mass Communication	<p>i. MS/M.Phil. /Equivalent degree in Mass Communication.</p> <p>ii. Minimum 60% marks in the University Admission Test / GRE Subject / HAT Subject / equivalent test.</p> <p>iii. A minimum CGPA 3.0 (out of 4.0 in the Semester System) or 60% marks (in the Annual System) attained in eighteen years of education.</p>
6. Ph.D. in Mathematics	<p>i. MS/M.Phil. degree (involving 18 years of education) in Mathematics or any of its specialized areas</p> <p>ii. Minimum 60% marks in the University Admission Test / GRE Subject / HAT Subject / equivalent test.</p> <p>iii. A minimum CGPA 3.0 (out of 4.0 in the Semester System) or 60% marks (in the Annual System) attained in eighteen years of education.</p>
7. Ph.D. in Zoology	<p>i. 18 years of education. MS/M.Phil. in Zoology or equivalent</p> <p>ii. Minimum 60% marks in the University Admission Test / GRE Subject / HAT Subject / equivalent test.</p> <p>iii. A minimum CGPA 3.0 (out of 4.0 in the Semester System) or 60% marks (in the Annual System) attained in eighteen years of education.</p>

ANNEXURE-II

Merit Determination Formula for Ph.D. Admission

Degree	Percentage of Marks
Entry Test (Departmental Test conducted by University of Narowal or Valid GRE/HAT Subject or Equivalent by testing bodies accredited by HEC)	40%
Interview	20%
Academic Performance	40%
Total	100%

Note: Academic Performance shall be determined as per following criteria:



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Marks allocated against %age marks (Annual System)

Course/Degree	45%	50%	55%	60%	70%	≥80%
Matriculation or equivalent	2	4	5	6	7	8
F.A./F.Sc. or equivalent	2	4	5	6	7	8
B.A./B.Sc. or equivalent	2	4	5	6	7	8
M.A./M.Sc. or equivalent (pass course)	2	4	5	6	7	8

Marks allocated against CGPA (Semester System)

Course/Degree	2.5	2.7	3.0	3.4	≥ 3.8
B.S (Hons) 4 years (16 years)	8	10	12	14	16
M.A./M.Sc. or equivalent	4	5	6	7	8
MS/ MPhil or equivalent (18 years)	3.0 CGPA / 1st Division	3.3	3.6	≥ 3.8	
	5	6	7	8	

Marks allocated for Overall Percentage Marks (if CGPA is not mentioned)

Course/Degree	65%	70%	75%	80%	≥85%
M.A./M.Sc. or equivalent	4	5	6	7	8

2. This is issued with the approval of the Vice Chancellor, University of Narowal.


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