



# Nava Nalanda Mahavihara

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## **NOTICE FOR RESEARCH ENTRANCE TEST- 2013**

Nava Nalanda Mahavihara (Deemed to be University), Nalanda invites application in prescribed form for the Research Entrance Test in Pali, Philosophy, Ancient History, Culture & Archaeology, Buddhist Studies, Sanskrit, Hindi, English, Tibetan Studies and Chinese & Japanese subjects. The application form will be available on University's website or in the office of the Registrar, Nava Nalanda Mahavihara, Nalanda from **26-10-2013**. Last date of submission of application form is **29-11-2013**. The Research Entrance Test is scheduled on **05-12-2013** at 02:00 pm to 04:00 pm in the University campus. The prescribed fees (Application form fees Rs. 150.00 & Entrance Test fees Rs. 1000.00) shall be paid by cash or through Demand Draft in favour of "Director, Nava Nalanda Mahavihara, Nalanda.

For application form, eligibility and relevant details may visit to University's website: [www.nnm.ac.in](http://www.nnm.ac.in)

**Ph.D. registration of the candidate will be subject to the availability of the supervisor/ guide in the respective subject.**

*Signature*  
24/10/13

Controller of Examinations  
Nava Nalanda Mahavihara, Nalanda



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## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR RESEARCH ENTRANCE TEST- 2013**

Nava Nalanda Mahavihara (Deemed to be University) Nalanda announces Research Entrance Test for eligibility for admission to Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (RET) in Pali, Philosophy, Ancient History, Culture & Archaeology, Buddhist Studies, Sanskrit, Hindi, English, Tibetan Studies and Chinese & Japanese subjects on **05-12-2013** during 02:00 p.m. to 04: p.m. at the Campus of Nava Nalanda Mahavihara, Nalanda.

### **Conditions of eligibility:**

A candidates holding recognized Master's degree or recognized degree equivalent to Master's degree with at least 55% or equivalent grades are eligible to appear in this Examination in the subject he holds his master degree. Five percent exemption will be given to SC/ST and Physically Challenge (PC) candidate for the eligibility of RET examination.

Candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste (SC)/Scheduled Tribes (ST)/Physically Handicapped (PH) should attach attested copy of necessary certificates with the application form.

### **Mode/Medium of Examination:**

There shall be common RET for all the Departments. The test shall be of 2 hours duration, carrying 300 marks, consisting of 100 multiple-choice questions out of which there would be 60 multiple choice questions (Section 'A') of general nature to test the knowledge of the candidates in fundamentals and also to test their logical and analytical thinking, quantitative ability, language skills, computer awareness, general knowledge, etc. These questions shall be common to all the candidates appearing for the test in all the disciplines and shall be based on the subjects taught at the intermediate/higher secondary and graduate levels. The remainder of 40 multiple choice questions (Section 'B') shall be of specialized nature and discipline specific for each Discipline. The candidate shall be required to answer only one such set of 40 questions corresponding to the subject of his/her qualifying degree or to the subject in whom he/she wants to get admission. These questions shall be of post-graduate level in the concerned subject.

### **Fees Structure for Ph.D.:**

Fees payable by a candidate admitted to the Ph.D. programme shall be as prescribed by the Mahavihara from time to time. The present fee structure for all categories of the candidates is given below:

Sl. No.	Descriptions	Fee Structures (Rs.)
1	Ph.D. Entrance Test fee	1,000/-
2	Ph.D. Course Work (for six months) Tuition fee	1,800/-
3	Ph. D. Registration fee	1,500/-
4	Late fee	200/-
5	Library Caution Money (Ph.D.)	500/-
6	Ph. D. Evaluation /Examination fee	4,000/-

**General Instructions:**

1. The application form to appear in the Entrance Test for eligibility to Research Entrance Test (RET) is available from the University website [www.nnm.ac.in](http://www.nnm.ac.in) and also from the office of the Registrar, NNM
2. Candidates must attach their master degree copy; affix their recent passport size photograph at places indicated in the Application form and submit one extra photograph.
3. Candidates must read the conditions of eligibility before submitting application form.
4. Applications received after the last date shall be rejected.
5. The fees of Rs. 150.00+1,000.00=1,150.00 should be paid by cash or through D.D. favour of Director, Nava Nalanda Mahavihara, payable at Nalanda.

**In favour of Director, Nava Nalanda Mahavihara, Nalanda, payable at Nalanda on or before 29-11-2013 by 3:00 p.m. fee once paid shall not be refunded under any circumstances and reasons what so ever.**

**Important dates:**

1. Availability of application form : 26-10-2013
2. Last date of receiving the forms : 29-11-2013
3. Date of the RET examinations : 05-12-2013