

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES

General: Candidates who have passed the three year Bachelor's degree examination of Bangalore University or any other University considered as equivalent thereto by the Bengaluru Central University, with the respective subject as optional/major/special/main subject, are eligible for admission to the programmes provided they have secured a minimum of 40% marks in the aggregate of all the subjects (including English and Languages) and 50% marks in cognate subject or major subject.

Note : SC/ ST/ Category I candidates having 5% marks less than that mentioned are also eligible to apply.

Postgraduate applicants will have to indicate their cognate subject while entering the marks. If a student is applying for M.Sc. Chemistry, then the cognate subject is Chemistry in his/her B.Sc. course. There are some courses which do not have a cognate subject such as MSW. In such cases please indicate one of the best core subjects as a cognate subject.

ARTS

	Programme	Eligibility
1	M.A. in Journalism & Mass Communication	a) Journalism Graduates who have secured 50% of marks in Journalism (optional subject) at the degree. b) Non-Journalism Graduates with at least 50% marks in the aggregate of all the optional subjects at the degree.
2	M.A. Advertising and Public relations	Graduates with at least 50% marks in the aggregate of all the optional subjects at the degree.
3	M.A. in Economics	Graduates who have secured 40% in the aggregate of all subjects and 50% marks in the cognate subject at the Bachelor's degree level.
4	M.A. in English	Graduates who have secured 40% in the aggregate of all subjects and 50% marks in the cognate subject in the qualifying University examinations are eligible. Candidates with B.A., B.Sc. or B.Com Degree are eligible provided they have scored 55% marks in the Language concerned in the degree course.

5	M.A. in Political Science	Candidates who have secured 40% marks in the aggregate of all subjects and 50% marks in the cognate subject / Public Administration at the Bachelor's Degree level. Graduates who have studied Political Science as a subject in the first three years of Five Years B.A.B.L/B.A.LL.B Course are also eligible.
6	M.S.W.	B. A. / B.S.W. graduates from recognized Universities with a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate of all subjects.
7	M.Com.	Candidates who have passed the three-year B.Com./ B.B.M. degree examination of Bangalore University or any other University considered as equivalent thereto, provided they have obtained not less than 50% (45% for SC/ST/Category-I candidates) marks in the aggregate in Commerce subjects.

SCIENCE

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1	M.Sc. in Botany	Graduates who have secured 40% marks in the aggregate of all subjects and 50% marks in Botany / Applied Botany (cognate subject) in the qualifying examination.
2	M.Sc. in Chemistry with a specialization in (i) Analytical Chemistry OR (ii) Organic Chemistry	Graduates who have secured 40% marks in the aggregate of all the subjects and 50% marks in Chemistry (cognate subject) and studied Mathematics at least at 10 + 2 or PUC level.
3	M.Sc. in Computer Science	B.Sc. graduates with Computer Science or B.C.A. with mathematics as one of the subjects and at least 50% marks in the aggregate of all optional subjects OR B.Sc. PCM graduates with P.G. Diploma / Certificate Course in Computer Science of one-year duration are eligible.
4	M.Sc. in Mathematics	Graduates who have secured 40% marks in the aggregate of all subjects and at least 50% marks in Mathematics (cognate subject) at the degree level are eligible.

5	M.Sc. in Microbiology	a) B.Sc. graduates with any Life Science Subject securing at least 50% marks in aggregate of all optional subjects are eligible. B.Sc. graduates in Biotechnology and B.Sc. (Hons.) graduates in Biotechnology / Biology / Botany / Microbiology / Zoology are also eligible provided they have secured 50% marks in the aggregate of all the optional subjects. b) In the absence of candidates in (a), Graduates in Agricultural Science, Dairy Sciences, Horticulture, Forestry, Fisheries, Pharmacy, Engineering (Biotechnology), Medicine / Dental or Agricultural Engineering, with 50% marks in the aggregate are eligible.
6	M.Sc. in Physics	Graduates who have studied Physics and Mathematics as two of the three cognate subjects and secured 40% marks in the aggregate of all subjects and 50% marks in the aggregate of all optional subjects at the degree level are eligible.
7	M.Sc. in Big data Analytics	Graduates who have studied mathematics or statistics as cognate subjects and secured 40% in the cognate subject and 50% marks in aggregate of all optional subjects at the degree level or B.C.A with Mathematics up to +2 are eligible.
8	M.Sc. Food Science and Technology	B. Sc. /B. Tech Degree in Agriculture / Agricultural Engineering/ Food Technology/ Home Science/ Food Science and Nutrition/ Food Science and Quality Control/ Clinical Nutrition/ Biochemistry/Biotechnology/ Microbiology. Mathematics at +1/+2 / P.U.C. level is compulsory (exempted for students with B. Sc. / B. Tech, Food Science and Technology / Food Technology).
9	M.Sc. in Statistics	Graduates who have secured 40% marks in the aggregate of all subjects and at least 50% marks in Mathematics (cognate subject) at the degree level are eligible.