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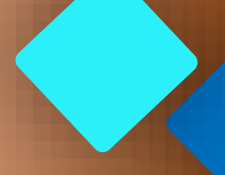
HON'BLE VICE CHANCELLOR
ASSAM WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY

We are heartily thankful to our state's dynamic Chief Minister Dr. Himanta Biswa Sharma and his government for taking the necessary steps to provide us land and grants for construction in the new campus at Teok Kaliapani where the progress is on for construction of academic, administrative and hostel buildings. It is a campus of 57 bighas at Teok, 10 bighas in the Sensuwa Gaon adjacent to the 19 bighas of land on the existing campus which total up to 86 bighas. The entire fraternity of Assam Women's University shall always remain grateful to the Government of Assam, and in the history of the University this step on part of the Government shall always be a moment to cherish now and in the days to come.

Most importantly our teaching and non-teaching members contribution to the University is immense. In fact, they have held the reins of the University.


We have built up our Institutional Development Plan which highlights Assam Women's University Action Plan and Goals under NEP 2020 clearly indicating strategic plan and initiatives/action plan, comprising of short-term goals, mid-term goals, and long-term goals.

Assam Women's University is the only women University in the entire north-east and one of the eighteen (18) women University in the entire nation. Assam Women's University (AWU) is now well into its ninth year of existence.



From the moment when the Government of Assam passed the Assam Women's University Act in 2013, and notification of the first Statutes of the university on 6th April 2022 has come over time to symbolize the hopes and aspirations of thousands of women across this region. As the only women's university in North East India, the institution occupies a strategic plank in the expansion of reach and access of higher education among different strata of society. Our aim at Assam Women's University has always been to create quality and empowered human resources who can contribute to different arenas of society, industry, education, and professional life. Around 1300 students have so far passed out from the fifteen departments of our university. All of them, I believe, are doing well for themselves, as they face and grapple with the challenges of today's world and life.

At present, Assam Women's University has fifteen (15) departments under Five Schools viz, School of Human Sciences, School of Social Science & Humanities, School of Media, Technology and Information Sciences, School of Languages and Literature Studies and School of Management Sciences with 849 students in total. The literature and languages departments like Assamese and English is providing excellent skills to the students in equipping them with critical language and analytical capacities. In the social sciences, departments of Sociology, Political Science and Economics is empowering students with the necessary knowledge base required to understand socio-political and economic realities. Professionally oriented departments like Business Administration, Mass Communication and Tourism & Travel Management are adding to the mix by training the students with a focus on making them industry ready. Information is knowledge, as they say, and the departments of Computer Science & Technology, Library Science and Education are contributing in making the students information literate and tackle the challenges in the current educational ecology. Psychology and Physiotherapy are training young minds in their respective disciplines which are fast becoming basic life-skills in today's times. From this year all the departments shall start the programmes in consonance with NEP 2020 to meet professional and skill enhancement demands from the learners. The Department of Business Administration shall start an exclusive MBA program for working professionals. We are also exploring the avenues to start Ph.D. Programs in various disciplines to add to the repertoire of Assam Women's University. As an additional optional subject, NCC is also being introduced in the undergraduate programme in our university. We also have a faculty with NCC "C" Certificate holder and she has been nominated as CTO of our University. As part of National Service Scheme (NSS), our students are providing yeoman services amongst distressed communities which are immensely contributing to their personality development and sense of ethical citizenship. In line with



the Govt. of India's Azaadi ka Amrit Mahotsav and Atma-Nirbhar Bharat Program, Assam Women's University has celebrated and took part in a series of lectures and activities. The students have registered in the Academic Bank of Credit.

Under CSR initiative BCPL has provided us with an ambulance and NRL has given a fund with which we have built up an Audio-Video Lab under the Department of Mass Communication and Journalism.

To further our long-term goals in this regard, we have introduced Gender Studies as a core paper in the all the departments since last year as per a UGC directive. AWU is readying itself for an imminent NAAC peer team visit, so be rest assured that we are taking this challenge head on and seeing to it that the institution clears the accreditation with flying colours. To expedite the growth process of AWU, we are working relentlessly in the last couple of years. At present all the departments have student intake capacity of 35 but due to infrastructural limitations we are not able to increase our enrolment rate. With the new AWU campus coming up at Kaliapani, Teok, the university is now poised to see greater infrastructural facilities in the near future. We are hopeful that logistical and infrastructural issues will be overcome by then to effectively meet NEP guidelines.

A university in the contemporary era must be tuned to the changing socio-economic realities and challenges. It also has to come into collaborations with other centres of learning to exchange knowledge and thus stay relevant in a rapidly evolving pedagogical and technological environment. I am happy to share with you all the MoUs AWU has recently entered into with various reputed institutions. The organizations with which the MoUs have been signed include Sri Sri Aniruddhadeva Sports University, Educational Multimedia Research Centre (EMRC), Dibrugarh University, National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology, Guwahati, Regional Institute of English-North-East, iSchool, Save the Children (Bal Raksha Bharat), and FIPRESCI-India, Kolkata. We are always grateful to Assam Agricultural University for providing immediate services and facilities in times of need.

Assam Women's University aims to always provide a safe, secure and a free environment to its students. To build confidence, our university has recently established different cells and committees for counselling from stakeholders and to address issues and grievances alike. We have developed an important Tripod comprising Entrepreneurship and Skill Development Cell, IPR Cell and Innovation and Incubation Cell.

Our students are excelling in various fields of life and work. Many of them are in the Civil Services while many have cracked various competitive exams like NET etc. I wish more success from our students. I would also like to urge them to work more on their knowledge and skill sets.

Although Assam and North East India is known for its egalitarianism and a relative freedom for its womenfolk, patriarchal norms and practices are not entirely absent. For various socio-historical reasons, women of the region continue to face discrimination inside and outside the region. At Assam Women's University, in our own humble way, we work to stop unfair treatment of women and to make our students conscious of their rights and responsibilities. The goal of Assam Women's University is to build 21st century women who are not bogged down by centuries old dogmas and norms related to gender identity. After all, insight, competency and self-reliance go hand in hand in making an individual grow in various dimensions. Assam Women's University is committed towards producing compassionate and efficient learners who are value based in their orientations and thinking.

Sd/-
Vice Chancellor
Assam Women's University





MR. TAPAN KR. GOHAIN, ACS
REGISTRAR
ASSAM WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY

It is with great pleasure that I extend a warm welcome to you on behalf of Assam Women's University. I am thrilled to introduce you to an educational journey that is specifically designed to empower and uplift women in their pursuit of knowledge and professional growth.

Assam Women's University is a pioneer in providing a conducive environment for women to excel academically, intellectually, and socially. Our institution is committed to promoting gender equality and empowering women to become leaders and change-makers in various fields. We firmly believe that education is a powerful tool that can shape the future and create a more inclusive society. Beyond academics, we encourage our students to engage in extracurricular activities, sports, and community service, fostering holistic development and nurturing well-rounded individuals.

At Assam Women's University, we value diversity and respect individuality. We are proud of our inclusive community that celebrates the uniqueness of each student and promotes cultural exchange and understanding. We strive to create an atmosphere where every woman feels supported, encouraged, and empowered to achieve her full potential. I invite you to embark on this transformative journey with us at Assam Women's University.

By choosing to join our institution, you will be joining a community of exceptional women who are passionate about learning, growing, and making a difference.

Together, we can create a future where women lead, inspire, and shape the world. I assure you that your time at Assam Women's University will be filled with opportunities, challenges, and countless memorable experiences.

I encourage you to explore our website, visit our campus, and reach out to our admissions team for any further information or assistance you may need.

Thank you for considering Assam Women's University for your higher education. We look forward to welcoming you into our vibrant community and supporting you in your academic and personal journey.

Sd/-
Registrar
Assam Women's University



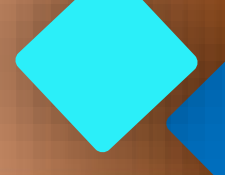
IMPORTANT DATES

	Under Graduate programme	Five-Year Integrated Post-Graduate programmes (FYIPGP)	Post Graduate programmes	Ph.D. programmes
Admission Schedule	1. Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Integrated Master of Business Administration 2. Integrated Master of Tourism & Travel Management 4. Integrated MA in Mass Communication and Journalism 5. Integrated MA in English 6. Integrated Master of Library & Information Science 7. Integrated MA in Political Science 8. Integrated Master of Computer Application 9. Integrated Master of Fashion Technology 10. Integrated MA in Assamese 11. Integrated MA in Cultural Studies 12. Integrated MA in Economics 13. Integrated MA in Education 14. Integrated MA in Sociology 15. Integrated MA in Psychology 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Master of Business Administration (MBA) 2. Master of Business Administration Executive (MBA Ex.) 3. Master of Tourism & Travel Management (MTTM) 4. MA in Mass Communication and Journalism 5. MA in English 6. Master of Library & Information Science (MLIS) 7. MA in Political Science 8. Master of Computer Application (MCA) 9. Master of Fashion Technology 10. MA in Assamese 11. MA in Cultural Studies 12. MA in Economics 13. MA in Education 14. MA in Sociology 15. MA in Psychology 16. Post- Graduate Diploma in Comp. Appl. (PGDCA) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assamese 2. Business Management 3. Cultural Studies 4. English 5. Fashion Technology 6. Mass Communic. and Journalism 7. Political Science
Start date of online application forms	17 th May 2024	Shall be provisioned through the Assam Higher Education Admission Portal https://assamadmission.samarth.ac.in/	17 th May 2024	13 th May 2024
Last date of submission of application forms	30 th June 2024		30 th June 2024	31 st May 2024
Online announcement of list of eligible candidates for Entrance Test	3 rd July 2024		3 rd July 2024	4 th June 2024
Tentative Date of Entrance Test	To be announced		To be announced	8 th June 2024
Online Declaration of Merit list	To be announced			
Date of Admission	To be announced			

NOTE: The time and venue for entrance test will be notified in the University website. Candidates are requested to visit the websites frequently. Dates are subject to change.

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How to apply?

Candidate can check the prospectus Online for eligibility and intake of each academic programme.

For Integrated PG programmes

- The Admission cum Counselling Form for Integrated PG programmes of Assam Women's University will be available at <https://assamadmission.samarth.ac.in/> web portal.
- Candidates need to register online to get Login-id and Password.
- Candidate should fill up the Admission cum Counselling Form and choose **Assam Women's University** for their desired programme.

For BPT, Diploma, Certificate, PG and Ph.D. programmes

- Candidates seeking admission into Diploma, Certificate, PG and Ph.D. programmes have to fill online application form at <https://awu.ac.in/admission.html>.
- No applications will be accepted by post or courier **except for Ph.D. programme.**



1. THE UNIVERSITY

The Assam Women's University is the first state women University in the entire North Eastern Region of India which started functioning from the month of September, 2014. The University has been established by an Act (XXII) of 2013 of State Legislature of Assam as a State University vide Notification LGL.149/2011/92 dated 21.08.2013 and is empowered to award degrees as specified by the UGC under Section 22 of the UGC Act 1956 through its own departments. The main objectives of the University are as follows.

- a) To provide for facilities and offer opportunities to women for education in applied arts, technology, industry, commerce, management, applied sciences and social science by instruction, training, research, development and by such other means as the University may deem fit;
- b) To promote research in applied science and arts, technology, industry, commerce, management and social science for the advancement of knowledge and

for the betterment of the society particularly with focus on women's perspective;

- c) To devise and implement programmes of education for women in applied science, arts, technology, industry, commerce, management and social science that are relevant to the changing socio-economic needs of the society, in terms of breadth of diversity and depth of specialisation;
- d) To serve as a centre for fostering co-operation and exchange of ideas between the academic and research community on the one hand and industry on the other;

Organize exchange programme with other institution of repute into India and abroad with a view to keeping abreast of the latest development areas of teaching and research.

1.1. MISSION

The mission of the university is to provide a level playing ground for the women of Assam with respect to accessing higher education for promoting their knowledge, competitiveness and skills so as to make them capable

citizens to fill up the women talent gap in different spheres of societal, scientific, technological and other areas.

The ultimate goal of the University is to produce 21st century women knowledge and think-tanks to effectively

carry forward the women centric opportunities in the state of Assam and to become a matching partner in national and global development.





2. THE UNIVERSITY CAMPUS

The campus of the University is located at Rowriah, Jorhat, Assam which is seven (7) km away from ISBT, Jorhat, one (1) km from the Rowriah airport, Jorhat and seven (7) km from Jorhat railway station. Jorhat can be reached easily from Guwahati, the gateway to North-East India by bus / train / air.

3. PROGRAMMES OFFERED

At present, the university offers under-graduate programme, post-graduate programmes, integrated PG programmes, diploma programmes and certificate courses, each with a capacity of Thirty (30) seats (*Integrated PG programmes has Twenty (20) seats*). In addition, six (6) seats in each programme are available under endowment (high-fee) category.



4. THE SCHOOLS

4.1. SCHOOL OF HUMAN SCIENCES

4.1.1. Department of Physiotherapy

4.1.2. Department of Psychology

4.2. SCHOOL OF LANGUAGE & LITERATURE STUDIES

4.2.1. Department of Assamese

4.2.2. Department of English

4.3. SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

4.3.1. Department of Business Management

4.3.2. Department of Tourism & Travel Management

4.4. SCHOOL OF MEDIA, TECHNOLOGY & INFORMATION SCIENCE

4.4.1. Department of Computer Science & Technology

4.4.2. Department of Fashion Technology

4.4.3. Department of Library & Information Science

4.4.4. Department of Mass Communication & Journalism

4.5. SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES

4.5.1. Department of Cultural Studies

4.5.2. Department of Economics

4.5.3. Department of Education

4.5.4. Department of Political Science

4.5.5. Department of Sociology

5. DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES

- 5.1. Post-Graduate Diploma in Computer Application

6. UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMME

- 6.1. Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT)

7. INTEGRATED PG PROGRAMMES

- 7.1. Integrated MA in Assamese
- 7.2. Integrated MA in Cultural Studies
- 7.3. Integrated MA in Economics
- 7.4. Integrated MA in Education
- 7.5. Integrated MA in English
- 7.6. Integrated MA in Mass Communication & Journalism
- 7.7. Integrated MA in Political Science
- 7.8. Integrated MA in Sociology
- 7.9. Integrated MA in Psychology
- 7.10. Integrated Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- 7.11. Integrated Master of Computer Applications (MCA)

- 7.12. Integrated Master of Fashion Technology
- 7.13. Integrated Master of Library & Information Science (MLIS)
- 7.14. Integrated Master of Tourism & Travel Management (MTTM)

8. POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES

- 8.1. Master of Arts in Assamese
- 8.2. Master of Arts in Cultural Studies
- 8.3. Master of Arts in Economics
- 8.4. Master of Arts in Education
- 8.5. Master of Arts in English
- 8.6. Master of Arts in Mass Communication & Journalism
- 8.7. Master of Arts in Political Science
- 8.8. Master of Arts in Sociology
- 8.9. Master of Arts in Psychology
- 8.10. Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- 8.11. Master of Business Administration Executive (MBA Exe.)
- 8.12. Master of Computer Applications (MCA)
- 8.13. Master of Fashion Technology
- 8.14. Master of Library & Information Science (MLIS)
- 8.15. Master of Tourism & Travel Management (MTTM)



9. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

During the session 2024-25, Assam Women's University offers one (1) diploma, one (1) under graduate, fifteen (15) Integrated PG programmes and sixteen (16) post-graduate programmes. Intake capacity for each programme will be of 30 Regular Seats (*few programmes have 20 Regular Seats*) and 6 Endowment (High-Fee) Category Seats. Following are the eligibility criteria of the offered programmes.

Admission into **Integrated PG programmes** will be bifurcated into two schemes: Firstly, 20% seats shall be reserved for candidates competing in CUET-UG 2024 examination and 80% seats shall be filled up on merit basis, based on aggregate percentage of marks secured by the candidate in the (10+2) examination following the reservation system of the Government of Assam. **Candidates seeking admission into Integrated PG and Bachelor programmes shall have to apply through Assam Higher Education Admission web portal at <https://assamadmission.samarth.ac.in/>.**

- a) Only female candidates are eligible for admission.
- b) A candidate applying for undergraduate or Integrated PG programme shall have to be at least 17 years of age as on August 1, 2024 (i.e., must have been born before 01-08-2007).

Admission into **Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT) and PG programmes** will be based on AWUET-2024 examination. Details of the examination will be notified in the website at least a week before commencement of AWUET-2024. Candidates are advised to visit the university website www.awu.ac.in frequently.

Admission into **Diploma and Certificate programmes** will be purely on merit basis following the reservation system of the Government of Assam.



Admission into various **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) programmes** for the session 2024-25 will be based on AWURAT-2024 examination. During the session 2024-25, Assam Women's University offers Ph.D. programmes for four (4) departments only. Subject to the conditions stipulated in the UGC Regulations and Ordinance of Assam Women's University, the following persons are eligible to seek admission to the Ph.D. programme:

a) Candidates who have completed:

- I. A 1-year/2-semester master's degree programme after a 4-year/8-semester bachelor's degree programme or a 2-year/4-semester master's degree programme after a 3-year bachelor's degree programme or qualifications declared equivalent to the master's degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed or equivalent qualification from a foreign educational institution accredited by an assessment and accreditation agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country to assess, accredit or assure quality and standards of the educational institution.
- II. A relaxation of 5% marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/Differently-Abled, Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time.
- III. Provided that a candidate seeking admission after a 4-year/8-semester bachelor's degree programme should have a minimum of 75% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade on a point scale wherever the grading system is followed. A relaxation of 5% marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/Differently-Abled, Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time.

b) **Candidates who have completed the M.Phil. programme** with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed or equivalent qualification from a foreign educational



institution accredited by an assessment and accreditation agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country to assess, accredit or assure quality and standards of educational institutions, shall be eligible for admission to the Ph.D. programme. A relaxation of 5% marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/Differently-Abled, Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time.

DIPLOMA PROGRAMME				
Programme	Eligibility	Intake	Duration (in Semester)	
			Min.	Max.
Post-Graduate Diploma in Computer Appl. (PGDCA)	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	2	4
UNDER-GRADUATE PROGRAMME				
Programme	Eligibility	Intake	Duration (in Semester)	
			Min.	Max.
Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT)	10+2 level with minimum 50% in aggregate in Physics, Chemistry and Biology	30 + 6	8	16
FIVE-YEAR INTEGRATED POST-GRADUATE PROGRAMMES (FYIPGP)				
Programme	Eligibility	Intake	Duration (in Semester)	
			Min.	Max.

Integrated Master of Arts in Psychology	Minimum 50% marks in aggregate at 10+2 level in any discipline	30 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Computer Application (MCA)	Minimum 45% marks in aggregate at 10+2 level in any discipline	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Arts in Cultural Studies	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Fashion Technology	10+2 level in any discipline or in any such equivalent qualification	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Arts in Mass Comm. & Journalism	10+2 level in any discipline	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Business Administration (MBA)	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Tourism & Travel Management (MTTM)	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Library and Information Science (MLIS)	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Arts in Assamese	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Arts in Economics	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks. Students having Mathematics or Statistics as one of the subjects at 10+2 level will be preferred	20 + 6	10	20



Integrated Master of Arts in Education	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Arts in English	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Arts in Political Science	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
Integrated Master of Arts in Sociology	10+2 level in any discipline with at least 45% marks	20 + 6	10	20
POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES				
Programme	Eligibility	Intake	Duration (in Semester)	
			Min.	Max.
MBA (Master of Business Administration)	Bachelor's Degree in any subject (except Music and Fine arts) with at least 50% marks	30 + 6	4	8
MBA Executive	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline (except Music and Fine arts) from a recognized Indian or foreign university with a minimum working experience of two years at a supervisory level in any organization. Self-employed persons having the above-mentioned qualification and experience may also apply. Candidates except the self-employed shall have to submit a NOC (No Objection Certificate) from his/her employer.	20 + 6	4	8



MCA (Master of Computer Application)	Bachelor of Computer Applications (BCA) or PGDCA or B.Sc. in Computer Science/Information Technology / Electronics or Bachelor degree in any other discipline with Mathematics or Statistics as one of the subjects. The candidate must have secured 50% marks in the qualifying examination	30 + 6	4	8
MTTM (Master of Tourism & Travel Management)	Bachelor's Degree in any subject with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
MLIS (Master of Library and Information Science)	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Fashion Technology	Any graduate with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Arts in Assamese	Bachelor's Degree with major in the subject with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Arts in Cultural Studies	Bachelor's Degree in any subject with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Arts in Economics	Bachelor's Degree with major in the subject with at least 45% marks. Students with Mathematical & Statistical background either in H.S. or at the graduation level would be given preference	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Arts in Education	Bachelor's Degree with major in the subject with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Arts in English	Bachelor's Degree with major in the subject with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Arts in Mass Communication & Journalism	Bachelor's Degree in any subject with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8

Master of Arts in Political Science	Bachelor's Degree with major in the subject with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Arts in Sociology	Bachelor's Degree with major in Sociology or in any discipline offered as major / honours with at least 45% marks	30 + 6	4	8
Master of Arts in Psychology	Graduation in psychology with minimum 50% marks from a recognised university or Any graduate with minimum 50% marks having completed minimum 24 credit hours' worth of courses in psychology at UG level	20 + 6	4	8
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Ph.D.) PROGRAMMES FOR THE SESSION 2024-25				
Programme	Eligibility	Intake		
Ph.D. in Assamese	At least 55% marks in Master's Degree OR equivalent Grade point. Relaxation upto 5% marks may be availed by the candidates belonging to the reserved categories	2		
Ph.D. in Cultural Studies		4		
Ph.D. in Fashion Technology		2		
Ph.D. in Mass Communication and Journalism		2		

N.B.: 1. A relaxation of 5% marks shall be applicable for SC/ST candidates.

2. Supernumerary seat in each programme (Diploma, UG and PG) of the university will be created to accommodate the children who have lost both the parents during the COVID pandemic (vide UGC's D.O. No. F.@-39/2022 (CPP-II) dated 30th March, 2022).





9.1. PROCEDURE FOR HOLDING AWU ENTRANCE TEST-2024

- a) The Assam Women's University Entrance Test (AWUET-2024) shall take place in four (4) major cities within the state of Assam namely: Jorhat, Dibrugarh, Tezpur and Guwahati.
- b) For **Bachelor of Physiotherapy**, questions will be on Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English from 10+2 level syllabus. The qualifying marks of the entrance test for the Department of Physiotherapy is 50%.
- c) For **PG programmes**, the mode of selection will be based on Assam Women's University Entrance Test (AWUET) to be notified on a later date. Candidates are advised to visit the university website frequently.
- d) The final merit list will be prepared based on the academic performance of the candidate and the marks scored in the entrance examinations conducted by the respective departments.

9.2. PROCEDURE FOR HOLDING AWU RESEARCH ADMISSION TEST-2024

All applicants seeking admission to the Doctoral programme of the University (*except foreign students applying for admission as provided for under clause 9*) must clear the Assam Women's University Research Admission Test. The Assam Women's University Research Admission Test (AWURAT-2024) is conducted annually by the University. The mode of conducting the AWURAT shall be decided by the Research Council from time to time.

The AWURAT qualified and other eligible candidates shall apply for admission to the **Chairperson, Departmental Research Committee** at the Department in which he/she desires to pursue research. A Viva-Voce/ Interview shall be conducted by the DRCs to select eligible candidates for admission into Ph.D. Course work leading to the award of Ph.D. Degree based on the following criteria:

- a) The candidate possesses the competence for the proposed research;
- b) The research work can suitably be undertaken in the University/Institute;

- c) The proposed area of research can contribute to new/additional knowledge.

For selection of candidates a weightage of 70% from AWURAT-2024 score and 30% from the Viva-voce/ Interview shall be given. However, the candidates who are exempted from appearing the AWURAT-2024, the weightage of the Viva-voce/Interview shall be 100%.

The eligible applicants shall have to take admission in the Department concerned for a Six-Month Course Work as notified by the University.

10. SELECTION & ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Candidates will have to appear personally before the Selection Committee (subject to change) at their own expense, on the scheduled date of admission.

10.1. RESERVATION OF SEATS

The University makes provisions for reservation of seats as per Government of Assam norms for eligible candidates

belonging to the following categories. Certificates from the competent authorities against each of the reserved categories must be enclosed along with the filled-in application form. Self-attested copies of certificates mentioned against each of the categories must be submitted along with the online application form, the original of which has to be produced at the time of admission.



- a) Scheduled Caste specified in relation to the state of Assam under Article 341 of the Constitution of India.



(Certificate from the competent authority countersigned by the Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner).

- b) Scheduled Tribes (Plains and Hills) specified in relation to the state of Assam under Article 342 of the Constitution of India. (Certificate from competent authority countersigned by the Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner).
- c) Other Backward Classes (OBC) / More Other Backward Classes (OBC) specified in relation to the state of Assam. (Certificate from competent authority countersigned by the Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner).
- d) Persons with Disabilities as per provisions of Section 32 under Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016. (Certificate from competent authority countersigned by the Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner).

10.2. ADMISSION OF FOREIGN / NRI STUDENTS

Foreign candidate seeking admission shall forward their

application through their respective Embassy / Mission at New Delhi or through the respective Indian Missions abroad to the Government of India / University Grants Commission (UGC) and their candidature shall be considered if they are sponsored / cleared by the Government of India / UGC. Necessary fees shall be charged at the rates prescribed by the UGC for the foreign candidates which is three times of the admission fees in each semester for the respective discipline. Eligibility for admission of foreign students is as per qualification prescribed by the University. A good knowledge of English language is essential. In addition to this, students are required to be registered in the Education India portal (<https://educationindia.gov.in/>).

10.3. DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION OF FOREIGN / NRI STUDENTS

- a) Visa: All the international students will require a student visa endorsed to this Institution for joining full time courses. No other endorsement is acceptable. The visa should be valid for the



prescribed duration of the course. Visa is not required for NRI students.

- b) All international students will have to obtain prior security clearance from the Ministry of Home Affairs and the approval of Department of Secondary & Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development Government of India.
- c) A certificate of candidates' proficiency in English issued by the respective Indian Mission abroad and recognized agencies should be submitted.
- d) EII Registration Certificate/Receipt.

10.4. ADMISSION

Admission of a candidate to a Programme is subject to the following conditions:

- a) Fulfilment of the eligibility criteria as specified in Eligibility Criteria for Admission.
- b) Selection for admission to the Programme.
- c) Production of all the relevant documents such as pass certificates and marksheets of all earlier examinations with requisite percentage of marks in original and original copies of documents

uploaded at the time of submission of the application form.

- d) Submission of a set of self-attested copy of all pass certificate, marksheets and other the relevant documents.
- e) Submission of the character certificate from the Head of the Institution and Migration certificate (in original) from the Board / University last attended.
- f) **Receipt of payment of admission fee in full.**

10.5. PROVISIONAL ADMISSION

- a) If the result of the qualifying examination of a student is awaited at the time of admission, she must produce/submit pass certificate/marksheet with requisite percentage of marks within **30th October, 2024**. Such a candidate must submit a proof of taking all the examinations including practical/lab/project/backlog courses of the qualifying Degree/Diploma/Certificate at the time of admission duly certified by the Head of the Institute last attended. If any backlog course or other component remains incomplete after

admission, then the candidate will be treated as not qualified for continuation and will be asked to leave the programme.

- b) If a candidate fails to produce / submit any document (such as the completion certificate and mark sheet/transcripts of the qualifying examinations, migration certificate from the Board/University last attended, etc.) at the time of admission, the same must be produced as early as possible but not later than **30th October, 2024**.

- c) Candidates failing to produce marksheet or pass certificate with requisite percentage of marks within the specified period will not be allowed to continue her study.

10.6. PERMANENT RESIDENTIAL CERTIFICATE

All candidates (*except foreign nationals*) must submit the **Permanent Residence Certificate (PRC)** issued by the competent authority (Deputy Commissioner / District Magistrate / SDO Civil) of the Government.

10.7. GAP PERIOD CERTIFICATE

If a candidate discontinues her studies after the qualifying examination, she shall have to furnish a gap period certificate only from the institute last attended at the time of admission.

10.8. PHYSICAL FITNESS CERTIFICATE

The candidate shall have to submit a duly filled-in prescribed format (*Annexure-1*) at the time of admission.

10.9. ANTI-RAGGING AFFIDAVITS



Indulging in ragging inside or outside the University campus is punishable. Students are advised to visit www.ugc.ac.in or www.awu.ac.in for UGC Regulations on curbing the menace of ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009. Anti Ragging Undertaking must be filled by the students online at <http://www.antiragging.in> only after taking admission to Assam Women's University. As per the direction of UGC, Universities/Colleges will not accept anti-ragging undertakings by students in Hard/Printed copies/Affidavits.

10.10. PAYMENT OF FEES

Subject to physical fitness of the candidates, being declared as such by the Medical Officer / Medical Board, an eligible candidate has to take admission on payment of prescribed fees immediately after selection. **Fee Waiver scheme is applicable for candidates belonging to BPL category.**



11. FEE STRUCTURE OF PROGRAMMES

Fee payable for Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT) and Integrated PG programmes are as follows.

Sl. No.	Particulars of fees	Programmes	
		Five-Year Integrated PG Programmes (FYIPGP)	Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT)
A	ONE TIME FEE		
1	Caution Money (<i>Refundable</i>)	₹ 2,200.00	₹ 2,200.00
2	Registration	₹ 400.00	₹ 400.00
3	Identity Card	₹ 160.00	₹ 160.00
4	Library Card	₹ 130.00	₹ 130.00
B	PAYABLE IN ODD SEMESTER		
5	Magazine	₹ 190.00	₹ 190.00
6	Student's Aid Fund	₹ 130.00	₹ 130.00
C	PAYABLE IN BOTH THE SEMESTERS		
7	Course Registration	₹ 370.00	₹ 370.00
8	Tuition	₹ 1,630.00	₹ 1,630.00
9	Games	₹ 260.00	₹ 260.00
10	Common Room	₹ 120.00	₹ 120.00
11	Library	₹ 190.00	₹ 190.00
12	Laboratory / Field work (<i>as the case may be</i>)	₹ 2,500.00	₹ 3,270.00
13	Examination	₹ 770.00	₹ 770.00
14	Medical	₹ 260.00	₹ 260.00
15	Student's Welfare (<i>Counselling</i>)	₹ 120.00	₹ 120.00
16	Commutation fee (Bus fares)	₹ 200.00	₹ 200.00
	Total fee payable in 1st Semester	₹ 9,630.00	₹10,400.00



Total fee payable in even semesters (2 nd , 4 th , 6 th , 8 th and 10 th)	₹ 6,420.00	₹7,190.00
Total fee payable in odd semesters (3 rd , 5 th , 7 th and 9 th)	₹ 6,740.00	₹7,510.00

Fee payable for PG programmes are as follows.

Sl. No.	Particulars of fees	MBA, M.F.Tech. and MTTM Programmes	MBA Executive Programme	MCA and PGDCA Programmes	Other PG Programmes
A	ONE TIME FEE				
1	Caution Money (Refundable)	₹ 3,000.00	₹ 10,000.00	₹ 3,000.00	₹ 3,000.00
2	Registration	₹ 700.00	₹ 10,000.00	₹ 700.00	₹ 700.00
3	Identity Card	₹ 160.00	₹ 300.00	₹ 160.00	₹ 160.00
4	Library Card	₹ 130.00	₹ 300.00	₹ 130.00	₹ 130.00
B	PAYABLE IN EVERY SEMESTER FOR MBA (Executive) & IN ODD SEMESTERS ONLY FOR OTHER PG PROGRAMMES				
5	Magazine	₹ 190.00	₹ 150.00	₹ 190.00	₹ 190.00
6	Student's Aid Fund	₹ 130.00	₹ 1,250.00	₹ 130.00	₹ 130.00
C	FEE PAYABLE IN BOTH THE SEMESTERS				
7	Course Registration	₹ 750.00	₹ 3,000.00	₹ 750.00	₹ 750.00
8	Tuition	₹ 2,750.00	₹ 21,000.00	₹ 2,750.00	₹ 2,750.00
9	Games / Recreational activities	₹ 260.00	₹ 500.00	₹ 260.00	₹ 260.00
10	Common Room	₹ 120.00	₹ 200.00	₹ 120.00	₹ 120.00
11	Library	₹ 410.00	₹ 500.00	₹ 410.00	₹ 410.00
12	Laboratory/Field work (as the case may be)	₹ 780.00	₹ 1,000.00	₹ 1,150.00	₹ 780.00
13	Examination	₹ 1,250.00	₹ 1,800.00	₹ 1,250.00	₹ 1,250.00
14	Medical	₹ 260.00	₹ 500.00	₹ 260.00	₹ 260.00
15	Student's Welfare (Counselling)	₹ 150.00	₹ 300.00	₹ 150.00	₹ 150.00



16	Field Expenses	₹ 2,610.00	₹ 500.00	₹ 0.00	₹ 500.00
17	Commutation fee (Bus fares) / Technology Enabled Classroom for Executive MBA	₹ 200.00	₹ 1,200.00	₹ 200.00	₹ 200.00
Total fee payable in 1st Semester		₹ 13,850.00	₹ 52,500.00	₹ 11,610.00	₹ 11,740.00
Total fee payable in even semesters (2nd and 4th)		₹ 9,540.00	₹ 31,900.00	₹ 7,300.00	₹ 7,430.00
Total fee payable in odd semesters (3rd only)		₹ 9,860.00	₹ 31,900.00	₹ 7,620.00	₹ 7,750.00

Fee payable for both UG and PG programmes under Endowment (High Fee) Scheme are as follows.

Sl. No.	Particulars of fees	For all FYIPG programmes	Bachelor of Physiotherapy	For all PG programmes
A	ONE TIME FEE			
1	Caution Money (Refundable)	₹ 2,650.00	₹ 2,650.00	₹ 3,537.00
2	Registration	₹ 1,543.00	₹ 1,543.00	₹ 3,692.00
3	Identity Card	₹ 120.00	₹ 120.00	₹ 120.00
4	Library Card	₹ 90.00	₹ 90.00	₹ 120.00
B	PAYABLE IN ODD SEMESTER			
5	Magazine	₹ 150.00	₹ 150.00	₹ 225.00
6	Student's Aid Fund	₹ 90.00	₹ 90.00	₹ 180.00
C	FEE PAYABLE IN BOTH THE SEMESTERS			
7	Course Registration	₹ 14,996.00	₹ 14,996.00	₹ 18,679.00
8	Tuition	₹ 10,692.00	₹ 10,692.00	₹ 15,384.00
9	Games	₹ 216.00	₹ 216.00	₹ 274.00
10	Common Room	₹ 72.00	₹ 72.00	₹ 96.00
11	Library	₹ 144.00	₹ 144.00	₹ 440.00
12	Laboratory/Field work (as the case may be)	₹ 1,320.00	₹ 5,400.00	₹ 910.00
13	Examination	₹ 1,865.00	₹ 1,865.00	₹ 1,809.00
14	Medical	₹ 260.00	₹ 260.00	₹ 315.00



15	Student's Welfare (Counselling)	₹ 72.00	₹ 72.00	₹ 115.00
16	Field Expenses	₹ 0.00	₹ 0.00	₹ 2,520.00
17	Commutation fee (Bus fares)	₹ 150.00	₹ 150.00	₹ 150.00
Total fee payable in 1st Semester		₹ 34,430.00	₹ 38,510.00	₹ 48,566.00

12. HOSTEL AND HOSTEL FEE (*For Boarders only*)

Hostel facility for this academic session 2024-25 will not be available.

12.1. MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES

Sl. No.	Particulars	Payable (in Rs.)
1	Application fee	(For Gen/OBC Candidates) ₹ 300.00
		(For SC/ST/PWD Candidates) ₹ 150.00
2	Migration fee	₹ 300.00
3	Duplicate Registration Certificate	₹ 200.00
4	Readmission fee	(UG) ₹ 150.00
		(PG) ₹ 250.00
5	Transcript of Grades	₹ 500.00
6	Duplicate Transcript of Grades	₹ 800.00
7	Duplicate Grade Card for a Semester	₹ 100.00
8	Provisional Certificate	₹ 100.00
9	Repeat Examination (per course)	₹ 300.00
10	Duplicate Migration Certificate	₹ 500.00

11	Duplicate Identity Card	₹ 60.00
12	Academic Regulation	₹ 500.00
13	Degree Certificate	₹ 500.00
14	Duplicate Certificate	₹ 1,000.00
15	Duplicate Provisional Certificate	₹ 300.00
16	Late Registration	₹ 100.00



AWUPGSU organised 'Bhaona' performed by the students of Assam Women's University under Indigenous Cultural Learning as an Integral Part of Indian Knowledge System

13. LIBRARY

The **Central Library** of Assam Women's University was established since the inception of Assam Women's University in 2014 but it started functioning in 2015. The Assam-typed built library is housed within the present lush green premises of the University. The library started in a humble way when it began its journey in 2015, but has now grown to be a rich source of information and learning. Over the years, the library can take pride in fulfilling and continuing with its inherent mission of women's education to the hilt. The library has been intensifying its activities and services through active participation of students and faculty members of the University. More details about the library can be found by [clicking here](#).



14. TEACHING

14.1. CBCS & CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT

The AWU has followed the Choice-Based Credit System (CBCS) and Continuous Assessment in a semester in consonance with NEP 2020. These are the important components of reform in higher education in India. In this Choice based credit system, students are given opportunities to pursue courses of interest across discipline and schools in addition to their major course of interest.

The number of credits in a course is closely related to the number of teaching-learning hours and the flexible curriculum enables students to pursue courses of their interest and obtain inter-disciplinary expertise. Assam Women's University has also adopted the Lecture-Tutorial-Practical (L-T-P) structure which encourages students towards self-learning or learner centric approaches. The students have more opportunities to develop and nurture their creative abilities and are exposed to the methodologies of academic work.

Medium of Instruction is **English & Assamese**.

14.2. ACADEMIC YEAR

The academic year of the University is from August to July. The academic year consists of two semesters.

14.3. COURSES

During a semester, the students register themselves for a number of courses. A “Course” is a unit of instruction of a subject matter under any discipline carrying a specific number of “Credit Hours”.

14.4. CREDIT HOURS

“Credit Hours” Signify the quantum of work done corresponding to 1 hour of theory class or 2-3 hours of laboratory /field practical every week during a semester in respect of a particular course.

14.5. ATTENDANCE

Minimum attendance of a student shall be followed as per the rules prescribed in the Assam Women's University Student Charter.



15. EXAMINATION

Student performance for both Under Graduate (UG) and Post Graduate (PG) program shall be monitored throughout the semester by continuous assessment. There shall be university examinations (both theory and practical) at the end of each semester. But a continuous evaluation of students will be carried out by the course teachers during the progress of semester. The evaluation scheme for each course shall contain the following two parts.

- a) Internal evaluation carried out during the semester.
- b) External evaluation at the end of the semester.

Internal evaluation shall involve two written tests as notified in the academic calendar. External paper setters are engaged for external evaluation, i.e., end term examination.

16. CLIMATE

The climate of the state is pleasant for most part of the year. The winter lasts for about five months, viz., from October to February. Though summer starts from March-April, the weather is quite pleasant. There is heavy rainfall during the months of July and August.

17. DISCIPLINE

All students are to maintain discipline and proper scholastic atmosphere during their stay at the University. On admission, students must acquaint themselves with the University and hostel rules and regulations. Ragging is completely banned in Assam Women's University. Any student found involved in ragging shall be liable for stern disciplinary action as per the UGC Regulation on "Curbing the menace of ragging in higher educational institution, 2009".

18. STUDENTS' WELFARE

18.1. SPORTS, RECREATION & SOCIAL SERVICE

The University shall gradually provide facilities for games and sports, music, study circle, drama and other co-curricular activities for overall personality development of the students admitted.

18.2. MEDICAL FACILITIES

The University presently has an ambulance which is available 24x7 to facilitate students in commuting to and

from the university campus and JMCH, Jorhat in cases of emergency. First Aid Care is available. Additionally, an OPD clinic under the Department of Physiotherapy will be available soon.

18.3. STUDENTS MAGAZINE

Assam Women's University publishes annual magazine to encourage creativity of the students. The students are to pay the magazine fee at the beginning of each academic year.

18.4. BUS FACILITY

Bus service is available for commuting between Jorhat Town and University Campus in scheduled times.

19. REFUND OF CAUTION MONEY

Refund of caution money shall be made to a student after her release from the University. The claim of caution money shall not be entertained beyond a period of one year from the date of release.

Release of caution money shall be made against application in prescribed form and production of release order. The caution money shall not be refunded if a student leaves the university without prior permission and/or does not join and attend any class after admission.





IMAGE GALLERY



Hon'ble Chancellor of AWU Shri Gulab Chand Kataria ji, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of AWU Prof. Ajanta Borgohain Rajkonwar and other delegates presenting the Honoris Causa to Smt. Kalpana Khound during the 3rd Convocation held earlier this year 2024





Industrial Tour of Dept. of Business Management in the year 2023



Student entrepreneurial activity from Department of Business Management



Glimpses of Annual Sports Week and SPRIHA 2024



Annexure – 2: Important Contacts for any Query related to Admission

For any query related to the admission to an Academic Programme in 2024-25, the concerned Department may be contacted on the following contact number/e-mail ID:

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Economics	8638580842	debakshi@awu.ac.in
Education	9971130761	himakshi@awu.ac.in
English	8822632151	prashanta.eng@awu.ac.in
Fashion Technology	9395380391	purbashri.ft@awu.ac.in
Library & Information Science	9435186687	shayista.pol@awu.ac.in
Mass Communication & Journalism	9954261676	suryya.mcj@awu.ac.in
Physiotherapy	8638099236	anjuman.physio@awu.ac.in
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NOTE: * Contact must be made during office hours only i.e. between 9:30 AM to 5:00 PM (Monday to Friday)
** Mobile Number should be used during Office hours and in case of emergency only.




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