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I. Activities and Scheduled Dates for B.P.Ed. CET Process 2026

Sr. No.	ACTIVITY	SCHEDULE	
1	On Line Registration and Confirmation of Application Form for MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026 through Computer	First Date 16/01/2026	Last Date 02/02/2026
2	Issue of Hall Ticket through login of successfully Registered Candidates		To be declared later on
3	Date of On-Line MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026		Tentative Date 04/04/2026
4	Date of MAH-B.P.Ed. Field Test 2026 Any change in date due to Administrative reasons will be flashed on the website		05/04/2026 to 07/04/2026
5	Declaration of result of the MAH-B.P.Ed..CET 2026 on the website		To be declared later on

➤ Important Note:

- CET examination will be conducted only in the states of Maharashtra in the selected district centres. Candidate should note that there will be no CET exam centers outside Maharashtra State**
- The schedule displayed above is Provisional, and the Competent Authority may change the same under unavoidable circumstances.
- The revised schedule, if any, will be notified on: <https://cetcell.mahacet.org/> only which is the authentic and official site for the CET 2026 Process.
- Candidates are advised to download the CET Information Brochure and read it carefully before filling in the Online Application.
- The candidate filling in the online application form is considered as deemed to have read the Information Brochure and has accepted the terms, conditions and the eligibility criteria and provisions in Government Notifications, instructions, and the rules governing the CET process mentioned therein.
- The email id & mobile number provided while filling the CET application form shall be kept active until the end of admission process.**
- Candidates appearing for the CET are required to frequently check the official website <https://cetcell.mahacet.org/> for all notifications, updates, and announcements. The CET Cell shall not be obligated to issue reminders or alerts through SMS, email, or any additional communication mediums.**



II. Related References

Read Carefully: -

- 1) Government of Maharashtra Extra-Ordinary Gazette Part- 4. Extraordinary No: - 48 Regulation No: - 48-
Dated 17th August 2015.
- 2) Government Notification No. B.Ed. 4615/C.nO.210/C.E.-2 Dated 21st January 2016.
- 3) Government of Maharashtra Extra-ordinary Gazette Part-4-B. Extraordinary No: - 20 Notification No: -
B.Ed.4615/C.No.. -210/C.E.-2 dated 22nd Jan, 2016 (Marathi Version)
- 4) Government of Maharashtra Extra-Ordinary Gazette Part-4-B. Extraordinary No: - 138 Notification No: -
B.Ed.4616/C.R.-1/C.E.-2 dated 6th May 2016. (English Version).
- 5) Government of Maharashtra Extra-Ordinary Gazette Part-VIII Extraordinary No.72 Maharashtra Act No.
XXX of 2006 dated 1st August 2006.
- 6) Government of Maharashtra Extra-Ordinary Gazette Part-IV Extraordinary No.117 Notification dated 2nd
May 2018.
- 7) Government of Maharashtra, Higher and Technical Education Department, Government Resolution No: -
CET-2015/C.No.-440/C.E.-2 dated 28th January 2016.
- 8) Government of Maharashtra Gazette Extraordinary Part IV-B Extraordinary No.253 Friday, dated 30th June
2023.

**1. Introduction:**

Government of Maharashtra has established a State Common Entrance Test Cell (CET CELL) under Admission Regulatory Authority (ARA) as per the provision in Section 10 of Maharashtra Unaids Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015, (Herein after called the Act).

According to G.R. No. CET-2015/C.No.379/MSHI-2, Dated 4th December, 2015 and G.R. No. CET-2016/F.No.84/MSHI-2, Dated 7th April, 2016 the Competent Authority shall conduct the **MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026** for the admission to the First Year of the Two Year Full Time Professional Undergraduate Degree Course in Physical Education leading to B.P.Ed. Degree, **for the Academic Year 2026- 2027.**

The admissions to the following institutes will be done by the Competent Authority, provided they are approved and recognized by Government of Maharashtra and are Affiliated to any of the Non-agricultural University in the State of Maharashtra State:

1. All Government Aided Colleges (including Aided Minority Institutions) offering B.P.Ed. Course.
2. All University Departments (Aided/Self-Financed) offering B.P.Ed. Course.
3. All University Managed Institutes offering B.P.Ed. Course.
4. All Un-aided colleges (including Minority Institutions) offering B.P.Ed. Course, covered as per the Act.

2. Competent Authority:

Commissioner, State CET Cell is the **Competent Authority** to conduct the MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2021as per the Provisions of 2(e) and Section 10(2) of the Act dated **12th May 2015.**

3. Eligibility for Appearing to MAH-B.P.Ed. CET- 2026

1. The candidate should be an Indian National and should have passed Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with 50 % marks), (Minimum 45% in case of Backward Class categories belonging only to Maharashtra State)

And having at least participation in the inter-college /inter-zonal /district / school competition in sports and games as recognized by the AIU (Association of Indian Universities)/IOA (Indian Olympic Association)/SGFI(School Games Federation of India) /Government of India.

OR

2. The candidate should have passed Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education (BPE) with 45% marks (Minimum 40% marks in case of Backward Class Categories belonging only to Maharashtra State)

OR

3. The candidate should have passed Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with 45% marks. (Minimum 40% marks in case of Backward Class Categories belonging only to Maharashtra State) and studied Physical Education as compulsory /Elective subject.

OR



4. The candidate should have passed Bachelor's Degree with 45% marks (Minimum 40% marks in case of Backward Class Categories belonging only to Maharashtra State)

and

having participated in National /Inter-University /State Competitions or secured 1st ,2nd or 3rd position in Inter-college /inter-zonal /district /school competition in Sports and Games as recognized by Respective Federation / AIU/IOA/SGFI/Government of India.

OR

5. The candidate should have passed Bachelor's Degree with participation in International Competitions

OR

6. The candidate should have passed Bachelor's Degree with 45% (Minimum 40% marks in case of Backward Class belonging only to Maharashtra State)

and at least **three years of teaching experience** (for deputed in-service candidates i.e. trained physical education teachers/ coaches).

OR

7. Candidates who has appeared for the Qualifying Examination in the academic year 2025-2026 and qualified the B.P.Ed CET 2026 successfully, they will become eligible for admission to B.P.ED.2026 only if they produce Marks Memo/ Degree Certificate of the Qualifying Examination and fulfil the eligibility criteria mentioned above while filling in the Admission Form in the Centralized Admission Process (CAP) 2026 .

Candidates from **Out- side Maharashtra Universities** will be considered as **Open Category** candidates and criteria applicable to **Open category** candidates will be applicable to them.,

➤ **Important Note:**

- Aggregate* Aggregate marks mean the Grand Total of marks obtained by the candidate at the Qualifying Degree on which the Class is awarded by the University.
- In case the Candidates are awarded Grades/GP/CGPA (especially CBSC Board, ICSE and IGCSE & IB board candidates where instead of marks grades are awarded,) at SSC, HSC, Diploma Examination, Qualifying Degree the Conversion of Grades, GP, CGPA to percentage of marks would be based on the formula/procedure certified by the Board, University/ Institution from where the candidate has obtained the Certificate/Diploma. The candidate will have to bring the necessary proof to that effect from the University/Board/ Institution. The Eligibility shall be decided based on the basis of the Equivalent marks. The Candidates will be required to upload the conversion formula and conversion of marks statement either certified by the Board/ School/ college or self-certified by the candidate during the CAP- Admission Process. If the Candidates fails to upload the same, may be rejected in the process of admission. Candidates should fill in correct information which would be tallied with the CAP Application form information.
- The percentage of marks shall be calculated by rounding off to two places after decimal. **This round off will be applicable to the Percentage above the Minimum Percentage of Marks required for qualifying examination** mentioned in 3.1 above [For Ex. - 49.50% on wards till 49.99% cannot be round off to 50% in case of Open, EWS and OMS Candidates and 44.50% onwards till 44.99% cannot be round off to 45% in case of Backward Class candidates.] Hon. High Court of Judicature at Bombay has confirmed this stand in the combined judgement in WP No. 2719 of 2019 and 2720 of 2019 uploaded on their web site on 16/11/2019.



- Important Note for NRI/OCI/PIO/FNS/CIWGC: The Candidates belonging to the type [Non Resident Indian, Person of Indian Origin, Overseas Citizen of India and Foreign National Students, Children of Indian Workers in the Gulf Countries] with Academic Eligibility mentioned in 3.1 (1) above are not required to appear for CET 2026 Examination. • They must directly apply only for Centralized Admission Process (CAP).

3.2 The candidate should fulfil the following eligibility criteria for following candidature types:

(1) Maharashtra State Candidature. -

Maharashtra State Candidature Type	Candidate Should Fulfil The Following Eligibility Criterion for Maharashtra State Candidature Types
Type-A	(i) A candidate passing Graduate or equivalent Examination from a recognized Institution in Maharashtra or outside the Maharashtra, as the case may be ; and (ii) A candidate who is either domicile of Maharashtra and / or is born in Maharashtra ;
Type-B	A candidate who fulfills the criteria mentioned in clause (i) of “Type A”, but does not fulfil criteria mentioned clause (ii) of “Type-A” above, but whose father or mother is domiciled in the State of Maharashtra and possesses domicile certificate.
Type-C	A candidate who fulfills the criteria mentioned in clause (i) of “Type A”, but does not fulfil criteria mentioned in clause (ii) of “Type-A” or “Type-B” but whose father or mother is an employee of the Government of India or Government of India Undertaking and who has been posted and reported to duty in the Maharashtra State before the last date for submitting the Application Form for CAP.
Type-D	A candidate who fulfills the criteria mentioned in clause (i) of “Type A”, but does not fulfil criteria mentioned in clause (ii) of “Type-A”, “Type-B” and “Type-C” but whose father or mother is an employee or retired employee of the Government of Maharashtra or Government of Maharashtra Undertaking
Type-E	The candidates passing Graduate degree and/ or Post Graduate degree Examination or Equivalent Examination from a recognized Institution from a disputed Maharashtra-Karnataka Border Area or from the Maharashtra State, and residing in the disputed Maharashtra-Karnataka Border Area and whose Mother tongue is Marathi.

(2) All India Candidature Type: - The Candidates having Indian Nationality are eligible under this Category (Candidate should have Domicile Certificate from the State where candidate belongs or Candidate should have a Birth certificate issued by the respective State Government). OMS [Out Side Maharashtra State] candidates i.e. All India Candidature candidates should fill their CET application form in Open Category.

Explanation: -

A) Candidates who have completed their Graduation & or Post Graduation qualifying examination from Out Side Maharashtra State & born Out Side Maharashtra & having a birth certificate issued by the respective State Government or they possess Domicile certificate from the respective State will come under All India Candidature candidate i.e. OMS candidate.

(3) Minority Candidature:- The Maharashtra domiciled Candidate belonging to a particular Linguistic or Religious Minority Community from within the State of Maharashtra and as notified by the Government are eligible under this Category (Those candidates who are claiming Minority Candidature, such **Candidate should have completed their Graduation & or Post Graduation qualifying examinations from the state of Maharashtra &**



should have Domicile Certificate from the State of Maharashtra, otherwise they cannot claim for Minority Candidature).

Out Side Maharashtra State, candidates are not eligible for this minority candidature. Out Side Maharashtra State candidates, i.e. OMS (All India candidature Candidates) should fill the CET Application form in Open Category.

(4) NRI Candidature. —

The Candidate who fulfils the conditions as defined in clause (n) of section 2 of the Act are eligible under this Category. **These candidates need not apply for CET.**

{NRI Candidates are exempted from CET. They need not apply for CET Examination. They can directly register for CAP after the completion of CET Examination & after the declaration of CET Result.}

NRI candidates will have to register as foreign candidate in official CET portal. The registration link will be provided to the candidates.

❖ **Steps involved in the Admission Process of NRI/OCI/PIO/CIWGC/Foreign National Students/ will be as under:**

Candidates who are desirous to apply for NRI quota should note that the definition for NRI is changed as per Government of Maharashtra Ordinance **VI of 2025, dated 25/06/2025**. The new definition is as follows-

“(n) “Non-Resident Indian (NRI)” means, a person who is “not ordinary resident” as defined under sub-section (6) of section 6 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 and has been issued a Non-Resident Indian certificate accordingly by an Indian Mission or Post abroad and includes his child or ward as defined in the Guardians and Wards Act, 1890 ;”

A. Steps for Admission Process for all courses under Higher Education :

1. Online Registration:

- Candidates must register on the **Foreign Candidate Registration (FCR) Portal** (<https://fn.mahacet.org>).
- Students register on Integrated Web Portal using valid email ID and mobile number.

2. Profile Creation:

- After registration, applicants must fill and complete the application form including personal details, academic details, upload the required documents, and select their preferred course type and college list.

3. Application Submission and Eligibility Fee Payment:

- A non-refundable eligibility fee of USD 50 must be paid through secured payment gateway while submitting the application.
- The application will be evaluated for eligibility; if found eligible, a Provisional Eligibility Certificate (PEC) will be issued online.
- This certificate can be used by applicant to initiate the visa process.

4. One time Processing Fee Payment:

- After receiving PEC, candidates opting to continue must pay a **one-time non – refundable processing fee of USD 1,150**.
- This fee is non-refundable under any circumstances, except in the following specific cases: if the student's visa application is rejected by the Indian Mission. In all other situations, the One-time Processing Fee shall remain strictly non-refundable.
- Upon payment of the one-time processing fee, it is confirmed that the student will be admitted to one of the colleges authorized to accept NRI/PIO/OCI/FN candidates

5. Document Verification: All documents are verified online via integrated web portal.

6. Choice Filling and Confirmation:

- Candidates can modify their preference list until the last date as per the admission schedule.



- After freezing the list, applications will be forwarded to the respective colleges online.

7. Seat Allocation & Merit List:

- Colleges will review applications and either **accept** or **waitlist** them based on the merit through their login portal.
- Course-wise, category-wise, and combined merit lists will be published on the State CET Cell Portal and college website.
- Seats are allotted based on eligibility and availability.

8. Seat Acceptance & College Fee Payment Confirmation:

- Candidates can view multiple seats offers from various colleges but can accept **only one offer** on the portal.
- To confirm admission, the candidate must pay the college fees in **USD** as per the college's collection method (via nodal account or directly to college).
- Non-payment within the deadline will lead to seat cancellation and it may be offered to the next eligible candidate.

❖ List of documents to be uploaded on the Portal:**B. PIO-OCI Person Of Indian Origin/ Overseas citizens of India (PIO/OCI) Applicant**

- Passport Size Photograph
- Passport of the Candidate/ Country ID Card of the Candidate
- Student's Signature
- Statement of Marks or Certificate of Passing SSC/Qualifying Equivalent Examination/ 10th Marksheets
- Statement of Marks or Certificate of Passing HSC/Qualifying Equivalent Examination/ 12th Marksheets
- Passing Provisional Certificate
- Birth Certificate
- Migration Certificate (Start of Admission)
- PIO / OCI Card
- Proof of Residence
- Eligibility Certificate from the Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi (AIU) if candidate passed Qualifying examination from abroad.

C. NRI Non-Resident Indian Applicant

- Passport Size Photograph
- Passport of the Candidate/Country ID card of the Candidate
- Passport, Nationality Certificate of candidate and Parents/ Guardian
- In Case of Guardian, certificate issued by the court having power to make order as to guardianship.
- Student's Signature
- Statement of Marks or Certificate of Passing SSC/Qualifying Equivalent Examination/ 10th Marksheets
- Statement of Marks or Certificate of Passing HSC/Qualifying Equivalent Examination/ 12th Marksheets
- Passing Certificate
- Birth Certificate
- Migration Certificate (Start of Admission)
- Eligibility Certificate from the Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi (AIU) if candidate passed Qualifying examination from abroad.
- Residence of NRI
- Proof of Residence
- True copy of foreign bank account passbook (copies of main page indicating bank name & address, name & address, with entries of last preceding 6 months prior to admission) of candidate/Parents/Guardian
- Certificate issued by an Indian Mission/ Post abroad regarding Non-Resident Indian status of candidate/Parents/ Guardian/ NRI Certificate of the Candidate

D. Foreign National Applicant

- Passport Size Photograph
- Passport of the Candidate/ Country Id Card of the Candidate



- Student's Signature
- Statement of Marks or Certificate of Passing SSC/Qualifying Equivalent Examination/ 10th Marksheets
- Statement of Marks or Certificate of Passing HSC/Qualifying Equivalent Examination/ 12th Marksheets
- Passing Certificate
- Birth Certificate
- Migration Certificate (Start of Admission)
- Proof of Residence
- Eligibility Certificate from the Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi (AIU) if candidate passed Qualifying examination from abroad.

E. NRI of Gulf Children of Indians workers in Gulf countries (CIWGC) Applicant

- Passport Size Photograph
- Passport of the Candidate/ Country ID Card of the Candidate
- Student's Signature
- Statement of Marks or Certificate of Passing SSC/Qualifying Equivalent Examination/ 10th Marksheets
- Statement of Marks or Certificate of Passing HSC/Qualifying Equivalent Examination/ 12th Marksheets
- Passing Certificate
- Birth Certificate
- Migration Certificate (Start of Admission)
- Proof of Residence
- Passport of Parent or Sponsor
- In Case of Guardian, certificate issued by the court having power to make order as to guardianship.
- Residence of permit (VISA copy)
- Work Permit or Letter of employment
- Six-month Bank True copy of foreign bank account passbook (copies of main page indicating bank name & address, name & address, with entries of last preceding 6 months prior to admission) of candidate/Parents/Guardian
- CIWGC Certificate
- Eligibility Certificate from the Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi (AIU) if candidate passed Qualifying examination from abroad.

Contact Information

- For queries/enquiry: mail us student@mahacet.org or Help Line No. +91-8879082178 between 10.00 AM. to 06.00 PM.
- For detailed instructions, eligibility criteria, FAQs, and updates, please visit <https://fn.mahacet.org> and information brochure available on the State CET Cell website.

(5) Foreign Student or OCI or PIO Candidature. —

The Foreign Student Candidates, as defined in clause (i) of section 2 of the Act, the Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) Candidate, as defined under clause (m) of rule 2 of the Notification No. CET 2015/C.R. 243/Mashi-2, Dated 2nd April, 2016 and Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) as defined in clause (o) of section 2 of the Act are eligible under this Category. **These candidates need not apply for CET.**

{Foreign student or OCI or PIO candidature candidates are exempted from CET. They need not apply for CET Examination. They can directly register for CAP after the completion of CET Examination & after the declaration of CET Result.}

Foreign student or OCI or PIO candidates will have to register as foreign candidate in official CET portal. The registration link will be provided to the candidates.

(6) Jammu and Kashmir Migrant Candidature. —



(a) The children of citizens, who are displaced from Jammu and Kashmir to any part of India or from unsafe border area of Jammu and Kashmir to a relatively safer place in Jammu and Kashmir from 1990 onwards due to terrorist activities; or

(b) The children of officers belonging to Indian Administrative Services (**IAS**) or Indian Police Services (**IPS**) or Indian Foreign Services (**IFS**) and children of staff belonging to Military and Paramilitary Forces transferred to Jammu and Kashmir to combat terrorist activities and joined the post on or before the last date for submission of application for admission, or

(c) The children of Staff and Officers of Jammu and Kashmir police engaged in combating terrorism; are eligible under this category.

(d) These candidates will have to apply separately to Director, Higher Education, MS, Pune after having qualified the CET and the Field Test. The supernumerary quota for these candidates will be within the sanctioned intake of the Institute.

3.3 Validity Certificate & Non Creamy Layer Certificate: -

The Candidate belonging to SC, DT/VJ, NT (A), NT (B), NT(C), NT(D), OBC, SEBC & SBC, categories of Maharashtra State should produce “Caste Validity Certificate”, (along with valid Caste Certificate) issued by the Scrutiny Committee of the Social Welfare Department and the candidates belonging to ST category should submit “Tribe Validity Certificate” issued by the Scrutiny Committee of Tribal Department as is applicable to them and Candidates belonging to DT-VJ, NT-1, N.T-2, N.T-3, OBC, SEBC & SBC, and will have to submit Valid Non Creamy Layer Certificate valid up to 31st March 2027.

EWS candidates will have to Produce, submit & upload the “Eligibility Certificate for Economical Weaker Section” issued by the Competent Authority.

3.3.1*Important Note:- If the candidates have the Valid Caste Certificate and Non-Creamy layer certificate should only apply under Category, otherwise they should apply under Open Category. [Reserved Category Candidates of other states should apply under Open Category only.]

3.4 Age Criteria: - There is no upper age limit for admission to MAH-B.P.Ed. CET Examination in the Academic Year 2026-2026. The age will be calculated as on 01/07/2026.

3.5 Sanctioned Intake and Supernumerary Seats. — (1) The Sanctioned Intake for First Year of two years under graduate course in Physical Education leading to B.P.Ed. Degree Course shall be as per the approval given by the NCTE, Government and University which is competent for giving approval to said Course and affiliation given by the respective Affiliating University. The Candidates will have to apply separately on-line for Supernumerary seats in the CAP process, and submit the copy of the application form with self -attested documents to the Nodal Officer, Director, Higher Education, M.S. Pune as per the Schedule declared on the CAP web site.

(2) The supernumerary seats for **MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026** will be within the sanctioned Intake of the Institution.

(3) Allocation of seats for admission to the Professional undergraduate Degree course leading to B.P.Ed . course in Government Aided, Aided Minority, Government Aided University Departments, Unaided (Vina-Anudanit) and unaided (Vina-Anudanit) Minority and Self- Financed University Department and Self-Financed divisions in Government and Government Aided will be according to **Annexure “A” and “B”** to Government Extra -Ordinary Gazette No 113 dated 5th May 2017 and Government Resolution No. CET-2017/C.E.-125-CE-2, Dated 12th May 2017.



(4) Allocation of seats for admission to the professional under graduate Degree course in Physical Education to Unaided and unaided Minority will be according to Schedule-1 of Notification No. Government Extra -Ordinary Gazette No 113 dated 5th May 2017

4. MAH-B. P.Ed. CET and Field Test -2026 Schedule:

4.1 MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026 shall be conducted only in the **On-Line Mode in Multiple Sessions on** if required, in selected centres in the State of Maharashtra.

The selected centres for BPED CET 2026 and FIELD TEST 2026 are **-1. Amravati 2. Nagpur 3. Pune 4. Aurangabad**

5. Mumbai 6. Jalgaon and 7. Solapur (Barshi for Field Test)

Candidates shall have to appear for the On-Line CET strictly as per the date and session allotted to them at the allotted Venue and Centre. No candidate will be allowed to appear for the Test in other than the allotted Session. **No request for Centre, Venue and Session change will be entertained.**

4.2 Field Test for B.P.Ed 2026 will be conducted in offline mode (ground test) on consecutive days of online CET. Any change in date due to administrative reason will be flashed on the website only and no separate communication will be done in this regard.

5. Examination Fees for CET:

Application Form Processing Fees as stated below is to be paid through on-line system only by Internet Payment, Credit Card/ Debit Card (RuPay/Visa/MasterCard/Maestro), Internet Banking, IMPS, Cash Cards/ Mobile Wallets for which the service charges, as per rules, shall be applicable in addition to the application form Processing Fees. No other mode of payment shall be permitted. **The fees once paid is non-refundable and non-transferable under any circumstances.**

CET Fee for Open Category candidates from Maharashtra State, Out Side Maharashtra State (OMS)/All India Candidates belonging to all Categories, and J&K Migrant Candidates . On Line Application Form filling dates:	Rs. 1300/-
CET Fee-For Candidates belonging to Backward Class Categories (SC, ST, VJ/DT- NT (A), NT-1 (B), NT-2(C), NT-3(D), OBC, SEBC, EWS and SBC categories) belonging to Maharashtra State only having valid Caste Certificate and having valid Non-creamy Layer Certificate valid up to 31st March 2027 for DT-VJ, NT1, 2,3, OBC & SBC Candidates. On Line Application Form filling dates:	Rs. 1000/-
CET Fees for Orphan and Transgender candidates from the State of Maharashtra only	Rs. 1000/-

Special Note: -Candidates having valid Caste Certificate from Maharashtra State and Valid Non-Creamy Layer Certificate valid up to **31st March 2027** and belonging to Maharashtra State Candidature should only apply under Backward Class Category.

6. Procedure for Online Application Form Filling and Registration for MAH-B.P.Ed. CET- 2026

In order to appear for **MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026**, the candidates are required to apply On-Line as per the procedure given below. No other mode of application will be accepted. Applicants/Candidates need not send the hard copy of the application to CET CELL/DHE.

6.1 Implementation of APAAR ID as the Primary Identifier for CET EXAMINATIONS & CENTRALIZED ADMISSION PROCESS (CAP)



In alignment with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 and the vision of a 'Digital India,' the Ministry of Education (MoE) is implementing the Automated Permanent Academic Account Registry (APAAR) ID system for students. This initiative aims to create a seamless, lifelong digital identity for every student, promoting transparency, accountability, and efficiency in academic record management.

All candidates are hereby informed that, the mobile number and email ID used for CET registration should remain active until the completion of the Centralised Admission Process. With a view to simplifying the application process for the Common Entrance Test (CET) 2026, all eligible candidates are hereby instructed to ensure that all the documents mentioned below are duly updated before applying for the Common Entrance Test (CET) 2026 or within the prescribed time, so as to avoid any discrepancies, grievances, or the possibility of rejection of the application at a later stage.

(1) Aadhaar Card

- (a) The Aadhaar Card should be updated with the correct name, date of birth, latest photograph, address, and father's name

(2) APAAR ID (Automated Personal Academic Account Registry)

- (a) APAAR ID is mandatory for CET registration.
- (b) Candidates who have not yet generated their APAAR ID should create it through DigiLocker.

Similarly, for the Centralized Admission Process, candidates should initiate the process of obtaining the Caste Validity Certificate, Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) Certificate, and Economically Weaker Section (EWS) Certificate, as applicable, by submitting the CET application form and Hall Ticket to the concerned department.

Candidates are advised to regularly visit the official website of the State Common Entrance Test Cell, Mumbai (<https://cetcell.mahacet.org/>) for further instructions and information related to various CET 2026 examinations

Applicants are requested to follow the detailed procedures/guidelines as indicated below:

A) IMPORTANT POINTS TO BE NOTED BEFORE REGISTRATION

Before applying online, applicants should-

- Hall Ticket of CET Examination 2026 will only be generated for the course for which candidate has filled the CET Application form. CET application form filled for one course cannot be considered for other course. Hence, candidates are being requested to fill the form correctly for the course for which he/she want to take admission by appearing CET Examination.
- Check for Eligibility Criteria mentioned in the Information Brochure.
- Scan their photograph and signature ensuring that both the photograph and signature adhere to the required specifications as given under Guideline for photograph & signature Scan and Upload.
- Have a valid e-mail ID and Mobile No., which should be kept active till the completion of this Admission Process. In case the candidate does not have the valid personal e-mail id, he/she should create his/her new e-mail id and Mobile no. before applying on line and must maintain that e-mail account and mobile no. till the process is over.
- Arrange for Application Fees (Non-refundable), Bank Transaction charges for Online Payment of application fees/intimation charges will have to be borne by the Applicant/Candidate.

B) How to apply for Registration: - On Line Application form filling and Registration Procedure for MAH-B.P.Ed. 2026 CET

- (i) Applicants to visit CET's website www.mahacet.org and open the given link. For filling the Online Application Form, click on the button MAH-B.P.ED. CET- 2026 which will open a new screen.



- (ii) For registration enter Name, Contact details and E-mail ID. A Provisional Registration Number and Password will be generated by the system and displayed on the screen. Applicant should note down the Provisional Registration Number and Password in their Note book and preserve it. An Email and SMS indicating the Provisional Registration Number and Password will also be sent on the Mobile Number given by the candidate.
- (iii) In case the applicant is unable to complete the application form in one go, he/she can save the data already entered by choosing "SAVE AND NEXT" tab. Prior to submission of the online application applicants are advised to use the "SAVE AND NEXT" facility to verify the details in the online application form and modify the same if required.
- (iv) Applicants are advised to carefully fill and verify the details filled in the online application themselves **as no change will be possible/ entertained after clicking the FINAL SUBMIT BUTTON**. Candidates should modify the details filled in if required before finally submitting
- (v) The Name of the applicant or his/her Father/Husband etc. should be spelt correctly in the application as it appears in the SSC/HSC/equivalent Certificates/ Mark sheets. Any change/ alteration found may disqualify the Candidature.
- (vi) Applicants should validate their filled in details and Save their filled in application by clicking the '**Validate Your Details**' and '**Save & Next**' button.
- (vii) Applicants can proceed to upload Photo & Signature as per the specifications given in the Guidelines for Scanning and Upload of Photograph and Signature. Applicants can proceed to fill other details of the Application Form.
- (viii) Click on the Preview Tab to preview and verify the entire application form before FINAL SUBMISSION.
- (ix) Modify details, if required, and click on '**FINAL SUBMIT ONLY**' after verifying and ensuring that the photograph, signature uploaded and other details filled by you are correct.
- (x) Click on '**Payment**' Tab and proceed for payment.
- (xi) Click on '**Submit**' button.

C) Payment of Examination Fees

- i) The application form is integrated with payment gateway and the payment process can be completed by following the instructions.
- ii) The payment can be made by using Debit Cards (RuPay/Visa/MasterCard/Maestro). Credit Cards, Internet Banking, IMPS, Cash Cards/ Mobile Wallet.
- iii) After submitting your payment information in the online application form, **PLEASE WAIT FOR THE INTIMATION FROM THE SERVER. DO NOT PRESS BACK OR REFRESH BUTTON IN ORDER TO AVOID DOUBLE CHARGE.**
- iv) On successful completion of the transaction, an e-Receipt will be generated.
- v) Non-generation of 'e-Receipt' indicates PAYMENT FAILURE. On failure of payment, applicants are advised to login again using their Provisional Registration Number and Password and repeat the process of payment.
- vi) Applicants are required to take a printout of the e-Receipt and online application form and preserve it properly. **Please note that if the same cannot be generated, online transaction may not have been successful.**
- vii) For Credit Card users: All charges are listed in Indian Rupee. If you use a non-Indian credit card, your bank will convert to your local currency based at prevailing exchange rates.
- viii) To ensure the security of your data, please close the browser window once your transaction is completed.
- ix) There is facility to print application form containing fee details after payment of fees. **Candidates are advised to take a print out of the application form containing fee-details and preserve it.**
- x) **The copies of the CET Application Form, Fee Receipt and Hall ticket will be required for Admission Purpose, Hence the Candidate should keep them in safe custody as hard copy and soft copy also.**



D) GUIDELINES FOR PHOTOGRAPH & SIGNATURE SCAN AND UPLOAD

- Before Applying On Line, Candidate should scan (digital) image of his/her recent photograph and signature as per the specifications detailed below:

I. PHOTOGRAPH IMAGE:

- Photograph must be a recent, passport size, color picture.
- The picture should be in color, taken against a light-colored, preferably white background.
- Look straight at the camera with a relaxed face.
- If the picture is taken on a sunny day, have the sun behind you, or place yourself in the shade, so that you are not squinting and there are no harsh shadows.
- If you have to use flash, ensure there's no "red-eye". The light should be even and balanced to avoid shadows on the face.
- Background behind the face should be properly illuminated to avoid shadows in the background.
- If you wear glasses make sure that there are no reflections and your eyes can be clearly seen.
- Photographs taken wearing Caps, Hats and Dark Glasses are not acceptable. Religious headwear is allowed but it must not cover your face. Your face should be clearly visible.
- Dimension 200 x 230 pixels is preferred. The photograph should be of the size of 2- inch x 2- inch (51 mm x 51 mm).
- Fluorescent or other lighting with unbalanced colour may cause unwanted colour cast in the photo. Appropriate filters can eliminate improper colour balance.
- Size of Photo file should be between 20kb-50kb.
- Ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 50KB. If the size of the file is more than 50KB, then adjust the settings of the scanner such as the DPI resolution, No. of colours etc. during the process of scanning.
- Make sure photo presents full head from top of hair to bottom of chin; height of head should measure 1 inch to 1-3/8 inches (25 mm to 35 mm). Make sure eye height is between 1-1/8 inches to 1-3.
- Candidate should also ensure that Photo is uploaded at the place of Photo and Signature at the place of Signature. If the photo is not uploaded at the place of Photo, then Admission for Examination will be rejected/denied. Candidate him/herself will be responsible for the same.
- Candidate must ensure that Photo to be uploaded is of required size and the face should be clearly visible.

II. SIGNATURE IMAGE:

- The applicant has to sign on white paper with Black Ink pen.
- The signature must be signed only by the applicant and not by any other person.
- The signature will be used to put on the Hall Ticket and wherever necessary.
- The applicant's signature obtained on the call letter and attendance sheet at the time of the examination should match with the uploaded signature. In case of mismatch of signature, the applicant may be disqualified.
- Dimensions 140 x 60 pixels is preferred.
- **Size of file should be between 10kb-20kb.**
- Ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 20KB.
- Signature in CAPITAL LETTERS shall NOT be accepted.
- **Candidates should ensure that the signature uploaded is clearly visible.**

III. SCANNING THE PHOTOGRAPH & SIGNATURE

- Set the scanner resolution to a minimum of 200 dpi (Dots per Inch).
- Set Color to True Color.
- File Size as specified above.
- Crop the image in the scanner to the edge of the Photograph/Signature, then use the upload editor to crop the image to the final size (as specified above).



- The image file should be JPG or JPEG format. An example file name is: image01.jpg or image01.jpeg Image dimension can be checked by listing the folder files or moving the mouse over the file image icon. Applicants using MS Windows/MS Office can easily obtain photo and signature in .jpeg format not exceeding 50KB & 20KB respectively by using MS Paint or MS Office Picture Manager. Scanned photograph and signature in any format can be saved in .jpg format by using 'Save As' option in the File menu and size can be reduced below 50KB (photograph) & 20KB (Signature) by using crop and then resize option [Please see point (i) & (ii) above for the pixel size] in the 'Image' menu. Similar options are available in other photo editor also.
- If the size and format are not as prescribed, an error message will be displayed.
- While filling in the Online Application Form the applicant will be provided with a link to upload his/her Photograph and Signature.

IV. Procedure for Uploading the Photograph and Signature

- There will be two separate links for uploading Photograph and Signature.
- Click on the respective link "Upload Photograph/ Upload Signature".
- Browse and Select the location where the Scanned Photo/Signature file has been saved.
- Select the file by clicking on it.
- Click the 'Open'/'Upload' button
- An online application which is incomplete in any respect such as without Photograph and Signature uploaded in the online application form/unsuccessful fee payment will not be considered as valid.

Note: -

(1) In case the face in the photograph or signature is unclear, the application/admission in Examination will be rejected. After uploading the Photograph/signature in the on line application form candidates should check that the images are clear and have been uploaded correctly. In case the photograph and signature is not prominently visible, the candidate may edit his/her application and re-upload his/her photograph or signature, prior to submitting the form.

(2) After registering on-line candidates are advised to take printout of their system generated on-line application form. CET Application form is an essential document for Admission. **The candidates should carefully preserve it in hard copy and soft copy format.**

7. Download Hall Ticket through Candidate's Log-in.

As per the schedule given the candidates will have to visit the website www.mahacet.org for downloading Hall Ticket for on-line Test and Field Test. Intimations for downloading Hall Ticket will also be sent through E-mail/SMS. Once the candidate clicks the relevant link, he/ she can access the window for Hall Ticket download. The candidate is required to use i) Registration Number/ Roll No, ii) Pass-word/ Date of Birth for downloading the Hall Ticket. The candidate needs to affix recent recognizable photograph on the Hall Ticket, preferably the same provided during registration and appear at the examination centre with i) Hall ticket ii) Photo Identity Proof as stipulated below and also specified in the Hall Ticket and photo Identity proof as brought in original. **The Hall Ticket with Original Photo pasted on it having Signature of the candidate and the Invigilator will be required at the time of Admission. Candidates are advised to preserve it carefully.**

8. Identity Verification:

In the examination hall, the Hall Ticket along with original of the Candidate's currently valid photo identity (bearing the Same Name as it appears on the Hall Ticket.) Such as PAN Card, Pass port/Permanent Driving License/Voters Card/ Bank Pass Book with photograph/ photo- identity proof issued by the Gazetted officer on official letter head along with the photograph/Photo identity proof issued by the People's Representative on the official letter head along with photo graph/ valid recent identity card issued by the recognized College/ University/ Aadhar Card with photograph/ E-Aadhar Card / Employee ID/ Bar Council Identity Card with



photograph should be submitted to the invigilator for verification. The candidate's identity will be verified with respect to his/her details on the Hall Ticket, in case original valid original Photo Identity Proof is not produced, the candidate may not be allowed to appear for the Examination. The Candidates must remember that Ration Card and Learner's Driving License is not valid ID proof for the Examination and Soft Copies of the Identity Card are not allowed.

Note: Candidates have to produce in original the photo identity proof along with CET Examination Hall Ticket while attending the Examination, without which they will not be allowed to take up the examination. Candidates must note that the name as appearing on the Hall Ticket (provided during the process of registration) should reasonably match the name appearing as on photo identity proof. Female candidates who have changed their first /last / middle name post marriage must take special note of this. **If there is any mismatch between the name indicated in the Hall Ticket and Photo Identity Proof, the candidate will not be allowed to appear for the Examination. In case of candidates who changed their name will be allowed only if they produce Gazette Notification. / their Original Marriage Certificate/ Affidavit in Original.**

9. Candidates Reporting Late:

The candidates reporting the Venue of the Examination after reporting time specified on the Hall Ticket for the Examination will not be permitted to take the Examination. The reporting time mentioned on the Hall Ticket is prior to the start time of the Test. Though the duration of the examination is of 60 (Sixty) Minutes, candidates may be required to be at the venue for about 150 (One Hundred Fifty) Minutes including the time required for completion of various formalities such as verification, collection of various requisite documents, logging in, giving of instructions etc.

10. Test Centers for CET:

1. MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026 will be conducted on line only at following selected Cities in Maharashtra: **Amravati, Nagpur, Pune, Mumbai, Aurangabad, Solapur and Jalgaon.** The cities in which **MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026** will be conducted are designated as "Centers" for the CET.
2. Each Centre may have many "Venues" depending upon the number of candidates appearing at that Centre.
3. A candidate appearing for CET shall give his/her preference for the Centre, however, the Competent Authority reserves the right to allocate the Centre and Venue.
4. The examination will be conducted On-Line at Venues given in the respective Hall ticket.
5. No request for change of Centre/Venue/Date/ Session for the Examination shall be entertained.
6. Competent authority, however, reserves the right to cancel any of the Examination Centres and /or add some other Centres, at its discretion, depending upon the response, administrative feasibility etc.
7. Competent Authority also reserves the right to allot the candidate to any centre other than the one he/she has opted.
8. Candidate will appear for the CET Examination at the Examination Centre at his/her own risk and expenses and Competent Authority will not be responsible for any injury or losses etc. of any nature.
9. Choice of Centre once exercised by the candidate will be Final.
10. **If sufficient number of Candidates do not opt for a particular Centre for Online Examination, Competent Authority reserves the right to allot any other adjunct Centre to those candidates OR if the number of the candidates is more than the capacity available for online examination for a Centre, Competent Authority reserves the right to allot any other Centre to the Candidate.**

**11. Syllabus and Marking Scheme for MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026:**

11.1 The On Line CET comprises of **One paper with Three Sections**:

Sr. No.	Sections	No of questions	Marks per question	Total Marks
1	General Knowledge	15	1	15
2	Mental Ability	15	1	15
3	Teacher Aptitude and Sports Related Knowledge	20	1	20
	Total	50		50

- The questions will be Objective Multiple Choice Questions with Four options
- There is no negative marking
- The time allotted is One Hour (Sixty minutes)
- Medium of Questions will be **English, Marathi and Hindi**.

11.2 Contents of Syllabus: Contents of Sections:

- 1) **General Knowledge:** – (a) General Science and Technology (b) General History and Geography of India (c) Civics and Political Science (India) (d) Literature (e) Current Affairs at National Level.
- 2) **Mental Ability:** - (a) Logical Diagrams (b) Directional Sense (c) Relationship (d) Coding and Decoding (e) Number System
- 3) **Teacher Aptitude and Sports Related Knowledge:** - (a) Professional Commitment (b) Communication (c)Sports Awards (Central and State Govt.) (d) Olympic Games (e) Current Affairs on Various Sports and Games

12: Syllabus and Marking Scheme for MAH-B.P.Ed. -Physical Efficiency Test (Field Test) 2026:

The candidates will also have to appear for **Physical Efficiency Test (Field Test)** to be conducted only at following selected cities in Maharashtra: Amravati, Nagpur, Pune, Mumbai, Aurangabad, Solapur and Jalgaon.

Note: - Only those candidates who appeared for Online MAH-B.P.Ed. CET 2026 will be eligible for **Physical Efficiency Test (Field Test) 2026**: Field test comprises of five sections:

Sr. No.	Field Test Sections	Total Marks
1	4x10 Shuttle Run Test	10
2	Sit and Reach	10
3	Standing Broad Jump Test	10
4	Sit Ups Test	10
5	Medicine Ball Throw Test (2kg)	10
	Total	50

Students will be evaluated as per the standard criteria given in Annexure I



Marks	Tests for Men					Tests for Women				
	Shuttle Run 4X10 M.	Sit and Reach	Standing Broad Jump	Sit Ups (One min)	Medicine Ball Throw (2 Kg.)	Shuttle Run 10X4 M.	Sit and Reach	Standing Broad Jump	Sit Ups (One min)	Medicine Ball Throw (1 Kg)
	Second	Centimetre	Meter	Numbers	Meter	Second	Centimetre	Meter	Numbers	Meter
10	Less than 9.91	Above 15 cm	Above 2.30	Above 35	Above 10	Less than 11.00	Above 20cm	Above 1.80	Above 30	Above 10
09	9.90 to 10.10	13-15 cm	2.10 to 2.29	30-34	9.50 to 9.99	11.01 to 11.50	18-20 cm	1.60 to 1.79	25-29	9.50 to 9.99
08	10.11 to 10.40	10-12 cm	1.90 to 2.09	25-29	9.00 to 9.49	11.51 to 12.00	15-17 cm	1.40 to 1.59	20-24	9.00 to 9.49
07	10.41 to 10.70	7-9 cm	1.70 to 1.89	20-24	8.50 to 8.99	12.01 to 12.50	12-14 cm	1.20 to 1.39	17-19	8.50 to 8.99
06	10.71 to 11.20	4-6cm	1.50 to 1.69	17-19	8.00 to 8.49	12.51 to 13.00	9-11cm	1.00 to 1.19	14-16	8.00 to 8.49
05	11.21 to 11.70	1-3 cm	1.30 to 1.49	14-16	7.00 to 7.99	13.01 to 13.50	6-8 cm	0.90 to 0.99	11-13	7.00 to 7.99
04	11.71 to 12.20	-2-0 cm	1.10 to 1.29	11-13	6.00 to 6.99	13.51 to 14.00	3-5cm	0.80 to 0.89	8-9	6.00 to 6.99
03	12.21 to 12.70	-5- (-3) cm	0.90 to 1.09	8-10	5.00 to 5.99	14.01 to 14.50	0-2cm	0.70 to 0.79	6-7	5.00 to 5.99



02	12.71 to 13.20	-8- (-6) cm	0.80 to 0.89	5-7	4.00 to 4.99	14.51 to 15.00	-3- (-1) cm	0.60 to 0.69	4-5	4.00 to 4.99
01	Above 13.20	Above (-8) cm	Below 0.80	Less than 5	Less than 4	Above 15.00	Above (-3) cm	Below 0.60	Less than 4	Less than 4

12. ANNEXURE – I : Ready Reckoner for B.P. Ed Physical Efficiency Tests

Note: -

1. Weight of Medicine Ball for Men 2 Kg. And for Women 1 Kg.
2. The Medicine ball throw must follow the following instructions.
 - a) The Athlete sits on the floor with his legs fully extended, feet 24 inches apart and the back against a wall
 - b) The ball is held with the hands on the side and slightly behind the center and back against the center of the chest. The forearms are positioned parallel to the ground.
 - c) The Athlete throws the medicine ball vigorously as far straight forward as he can while maintaining the back against the wall.
 - d) The distance will be measured from the wall to where the ball lands in meters.
3. Sit ups should be performed with bending knees and keeping both hand behind neck



DESCRIPTION OF TESTS

1. 4 x 10 Meters Shuttle Run Test:

Equipment: Two blocks of wood (2" x 2" x 4"), stopwatches and marking powder.

Test Administration: Two parallel lines are marked on the floor 10 meters apart. The two wooden blocks are placed behind one of the lines. The subject is asked to start from behind the other line. On the signal ready? Go, the timer starts the watch and the subject runs towards the blocks, picks- up one block, runs back to the starting line, places the block behind the starting line, runs back and picks-up the second block to be carried back across the starting line. As soon as the second block is placed on the ground, the timer stops the watch and records the time.

Scoring: The time is recorded to the nearest 10th of a second as the score of the test item.

Rules: Only one trial shall be allowed unless the teacher believes the pupil has not had a fair opportunity.

2. Sit and Reach Test:

Purpose: This test measures the flexibility of the lower back and hamstring muscles.

Equipment: Sit and Reach Box

Procedure: This test involves sitting on the floor with legs stretched out straight ahead. Shoes should be removed. The soles of the feet are placed flat against the box. Both knees should be locked and pressed flat to the floor- the tester may assist by holding them down. With the palms facing downwards, and the hands on top of each other, the subject reaches forward along the measuring line as far as possible. Ensure that the hands remain at the same level, not one reaching further forward than the other. After some practice reaches, the subject reaches out and holds that position for at least two seconds while the distance is recorded. Make sure there are no jerky movements.

Scoring: The score is recorded to the nearest centimeter or half inch as the distance reached by the hand. Some test versions use the level of the feet as the zero mark.

3. Standing Broad Jump Test:

Purpose: This test measures the power of legs in jumping horizontal distance.

Equipment: Floor, mat or long jump pit may be used, measuring tape, marking tape /chalk or a peg.

Test Administration: A demonstration of the standing broad jump will be given to a group of subjects to be tested. The subject will be asked to stand behind the starting line with the feet parallel to each other. The subject will be instructed to jump as farthest as possible by bending knees and swinging arms to take off for the broad jump in the forward direction.

Scoring: The distance between the starting line and the nearest point of landing provides the score of the test. The best performance (maximum distance) out of three trials will be recorded in meters as the final score of the test.

4. Sit-Ups (Bent Knee):

Equipment: Clean floor, mat, or dry turf and stopwatch.



Description: The pupil lies on the back with the knees bent, feet on the floor, and heels not more than 12 inches (30.48 cm) from the buttocks. The angle at the knees should be less than 90 degrees. The pupil puts the hands on the back of the neck with fingers clasped and places the elbows squarely on the mat, floor, or turf. The pupil's feet are held by his or her partner to keep them in touch with the surface. The pupil tightens the abdominal muscles and brings the head and elbows forward as he or she curls up, finally touching the elbows to the knees. This action constitutes one sit-up. The pupil returns back to the starting position with his elbows on the surface before he sits up again. The timer gives the signal Ready? Go! and the sit-up performance is started on the word Go! Performance is stopped on the word stop. The number of correctly executed sit-ups performed in 60 seconds is recorded as the score.

Rules: Only one trial shall be allowed unless the teacher believes the pupil has not had a fair opportunity.

Scoring: Record the number of correctly executed sit-ups in 60 seconds.

5. Medicine Ball Throw:

Purpose: This test is used to measure the power of arms and shoulder girdles.

Equipment: A Medicine ball of 2 Kg for men and 1 Kg for women, marking materials and Measuring tape.

Test Administration:

- a) The Athlete sits on the floor with his legs fully extended, feet 24 inches apart and the back against a wall.
- b) The ball is held with the hands on the side and slightly behind the center and back against the center of the chest. The forearms are positioned parallel to the ground.
- c) The athlete throws the medicine ball vigorously as far straight forward as he can while maintaining the back against the wall.
- d) The distance will be measured from the wall to where the ball lands in meters.
- e) Each subject will be given two trials.

Scoring: The longest distance will be measured in meters will be the score of the test.

13. Action Against candidates found guilty of misconduct/ use of unfair means:

Candidates are advised in their own interest that they should not furnish any particulars that are false, tampered with or fabricated and should not suppress any material information while submitting On-line application. At the time of examination or in subsequent admission procedure, if a candidates found guilty of:-

- Using unfair means, or
- Impersonating or procuring personification by any person, or
- Misbehaving in the Examination Hall or disclosing, publishing, reproducing, or any information therein in whole or part thereof in any form or by any means, verbal or written, electronically or mechanically for any purpose, or
- Resorting to any irregular or improper means in connection with his/her candidature, or
- Obtaining support of his/her candidature by unfair means, or
- Carrying Mobile Phones or similar electronic devices of communication in the examination hall, such a candidate may, in addition to rendering himself/herself liable to criminal prosecution, be liable to be disqualified from the examination/admission. The candidate himself/herself will be responsible for the possible consequences.



D) UNFAIR MEANS PRACTICES AND BREACH OF EXAMINATION RULES

Unfair Means practice is an activity that allows a candidate to gain an unfair advantage over other candidates. It includes, but is not limited to :

- a) Being in possession of any item or article which has been prohibited or can be used for unfair practices including any stationery item, communication device, accessories, eatable items, ornaments, or any other material or information relevant or not relevant to the examination in the paper concerned;
- b) Using someone to write an examination (impersonation) or preparing material for copying;
- c) Breaching examination rules or any direction issued by CET CELL in connection with CET-2026 examination from time to time;
- d) Assisting other candidates to engage in malpractices, giving or receiving assistance of any kind directly or indirectly or attempting to do so;
- e) Contacting or communicating or trying to do so with any person, other than the Examination Staff, during the examination time in the Examination Centre;
- f) Threatening any of the officials connected with the conduct of the examination or threatening any of the candidates;
- g) Using or attempting to use any other undesirable method or means in connection with the examination;
- h) Manipulation and fabrication of online documents viz. Admit Card, Rank Letter, Self-Declaration, etc.;
- i) Forceful entry in /exit from Examination Centre/Hall;
- j) Use or attempted use of any electronic device after entering the Examination Centre;
- k) Affixing/uploading of wrong/morphed photographs/signatures on the Application Form/Admit Card/Proforma;
- l) Creating obstacles in the smooth and fair conduct of the examination.
- m) Not attempting the question paper for long time intervals.
- n) Fidgeting and looking here and there.
- o) In possession of bits of paper etc.

Note: Any candidate with more than one Application Number (more than one SCORE CARDS) will be treated as UFM, even if found at a later stage, and strict action will be taken against that Candidate.

PUNISHMENT FOR USING UNFAIR MEANS PRACTICES

If a candidate indulges in any of the above or similar practices during the course of, before, or after the examination, he/she shall be deemed to have used unfair practices and thus shall be booked under the UNFAIR MEANS (UFM) case. **The candidate would be debarred for 3 years in the future and shall also be liable for criminal action and /or any other action as deemed fit.**

CANCELLATION OF RESULT

The result of **CET 2026** of the candidate(s) who indulges in unfair means Practices will be cancelled and will not be declared. No plea will be entertained in this regard.

14. CET Test Information: -



- The time for the test is Sixty (60 Minutes); however, you may have to be at the venue for approximately three and half hours including the time required for logging in, collection of the Hall Ticket, going through instructions etc.
- On line test will be in English, Marathi and in Hindi.
- The Candidate can attempt any question at any point of time within this 60 minutes.
- All the questions will have multiple choices.
- Out of the four answers to a question only one will be the correct answer.
- The candidate will have to select most appropriate answer and 'Mouse Click' that alternative which the candidate feels to be appropriate/correct. The alternative/option that the candidate has clicked on will be treated as the candidate's answer to that question.
- There will be no negative marking for the wrong answer marked by the candidate. However, the candidate is advised not to mark answers by random guessing.

The Score of On Line Examination: -

- The score will be obtained by adopting the following procedure: -
- Number of questions answered correctly by a candidate in each objective test is considered for arriving at the corrected score.
- The corrected score so obtained by a candidate are made equivalent to take care of the minor difference in difficulty level, if any, in each of the objective test/s held in the different sessions to arrive at the **Equated Score***.
- **Scores** obtained by the candidate on any test are equated to the base form by considering the distribution of the score/s of all the forms.

15. On Line Examination:

A. Details of the On-Line Examination Pattern

- The examination will be conducted on-line mode i.e. on a computer.
- The test will be provided in English, Marathi and Hindi.
- All the questions will have multiple choices. Out of the Four options/ answers to the question only one will be the correct answer. The candidate has to select the most appropriate answer and 'mouse click' the alternative which he/she feels appropriate/correct. The alternative /option that is clicked on will be treated as the answer to that question.
- The clock has been set at the server and the countdown timer at the top right corner of your screen will display the time remaining for you to complete the Examination. When the clock runs out the Examination by default- candidate is not required to submit his/her examination.
- The question palette at the right of the screen shows one of the following statuses of each of the questions numbers:

	You have not visited the question yet.
	You have not answered the question.
	You have answered the question.
	You have NOT answered the question but have marked the question for review.
	You have answered the question but marked it for review.



The marked review status simply acts as a reminder that you have set to look at the question again. If an answer is selected for question that is marked for Review, the answer will be considered in the evaluation. To select a question to answer, you can do one of the following: --

- (i) Click on the question number in the question palette at the right of your screen to go to that numbered question directly. Note that using this option **does not save your answer** to the current question.
- (ii) Click on '**Save & Next**' to save answer to current question and to go to the next question in sequence.
- (iii) Click on '**Mark for Review and Next**' to save answer to current question, mark it for review, and to go to the next question in sequence.
 - To select your answer, click on one of the option buttons.
 - To change your answer, click another desired option button.
 - To save the answer, you MUST click on '**Save and Next**'.
 - To deselect a chosen answer, click on the chosen option again or click on the **Clear Response** button.
 - To mark a question for review, click on **Mark for Review and Next**. If an answer is selected for a question that is Marked for Review, the answer will be considered in the final Evaluation.
 - To change an answer to a question, first select the question and then click on the new answer option followed by a click on the **Save and Next** button.
 - **Questions that are saved or marked for Review after answering will only be considered for evaluation.**
 - Test Name(s) will be displayed on the top bar of the screen. Questions in the test can be viewed by clicking on the Test Name. The test you will view will be highlighted.
 - After clicking the '**Save and Next**' button on the last question for the test, you will automatically be taken to the first question of the next test.
 - You can move the mouse cursor over the test names to view the status of the questions of the test.
 - You can shuffle between test and questions anytime during the examination as per your convenience.
 - The candidates are requested to follow the instructions of the TEST ADMINISTRATOR carefully. If any candidate does not follow the instructions/ rules, it would be treated as a case of misconduct/adoption of unfair means and such a candidate would be liable to debarment from appearing for the examinations for the period as decided by CET CELL.
 - The candidates may ask the Test Administrator about the doubts or questions only before the commencement of the test. No query shall be entertained after the commencement of the examination.
 - After the expiry of **90 minutes**, the candidates will not be able to attempt any question or click their answers. The answers of the candidates would be saved automatically by the computer system even if he/she has not clicked the Submit button.

B) Candidates to Note the Following things carefully: -

- I. Candidates will not be allowed to **finally submit** unless they have exhausted the actual test time.
- II. Under no circumstances should a candidate click on any of the KEYBOARD KEYS once the examination starts as this will lock the Examination.



16. General Instructions:

- I. Please note the Date, Time and Venue address of the Online and Field Test examination given in the Hall Ticket.
- II. Candidates are advised to visit the CET and Field Test venue one day before the On-line Examination to confirm the location so that you are able to report on time (as printed on the Hall ticket) on the day of the examination. Late comers are not allowed.
- III. The Hall ticket should be brought with you to the examination venue along with your recent pass port size photograph duly pasted on it. (The photograph pasted on the Hall Ticket should preferably be the same photograph you have scanned and uploaded for filling in the on line form.)
- IV. You must scrupulously follow the instructions of the Test Administrator and CET CELL Representative/ Venue Officer at the examination venue. If you violate the instructions, you will be disqualified and will be asked to leave the examination venue.
- V. No use of calculators (separate or with watch) books, or written notes, cell phones (with or without camera facility), or any other electronic device will be allowed during the examination.
- VI. Candidates should bring their Hall Ticket with their photo affixed thereon with currently valid photo identity proof in original. **This is essential.** Candidate should hand over the Hall Ticket to the Invigilator for verification and signature. Candidates should collect back the Hall Ticket after the examination is over and ensure safe custody of the Hall Ticket since it will be required at the time of admission.
- VII. Your responses (answers) will be analyzed with other candidates to detect patterns of similarity of right and wrong answers. If in the analytical procedure adopted in the regard, it is inferred/ concluded that the responses have been shared and scores obtained are not genuine/valid, your candidature may be cancelled. Any candidate who is found copying or receiving or giving assistance or engaging in any behavior unbecoming of a candidate will not be considered or assessed. The CET CELL may take further action against such candidates as deemed fit by it.
- VIII. Candidate should bring with him/her a ball point pen. A sheet of paper will be provided which can be used by the candidate for rough work or taking down the question number you would like to review at the end of the test before submitting your answers. After the test is over you **MUST HAND OVER THIS SHEET** of paper to the Test Administrator before leaving the venue.
- IX. The possibility of occurrence of some problem in the administration of the examination cannot be ruled out completely which may impact test delivery and/or result from being generated. In that event, every effort will be made to rectify such problem, which may include movement of candidates, delay in test. Conduct of a re-examination is at the absolute discretion of the Test Conducting Body. Candidates will not have any claim for the re-test. Candidates not willing to move or not willing to participate in the delayed process of the test delivery shall be summarily rejected from the process.
- X. If the examination is held in more than one session, the scores across various sessions will be equated to adjust for slight differences in difficulty level of different test batteries used across sessions. More than one sessions are required if the nodes capacity is less or some technical disruption takes place at any centre or for any candidate.
- XI. Anyone found to be disclosing, publishing, reproducing, transmitting, storing or facilitating transmission and storage of test contents in any form or any information therein in whole or part thereof or by any means verbal or written, electronic or mechanical or taking away the



papers supplied in the examination hall or found to be unauthorized possession of test content is likely to be prosecuted.

XII. Instances for providing incorrect information and or process violation by the candidate detected at any stage of the Admission process will lead to disqualification of the candidate from the selection process. And he she will not be allowed to appear in any admission process in the future. If such instances go undetected during the current Admission Process but are detected subsequently, such disqualification will take place with retrospective effect.

17. Important Points to Remember:

You are advised to bring with you:

- a) Hall ticket with affixed Photo and valid Photo ID card in ORIGINAL
- b) Original Proof for Change in name if any
- c) One ball point Pen.

18. Other Guidelines

- i. Applicants are advised in their own interest to apply on-line much before the closing date and not to wait till the last date to avoid the possibility of disconnection/inability/ failure to log on to the website on account of heavy load on internet/website. DHE/CET CELL takes no responsibility for applicants not being able to submit their applications online within the last date on account of aforesaid reasons or for any other reason beyond the control of the DHE/CET CELL.
- ii. Any information submitted by an applicant in his/her application shall be binding on the applicant personally and he/she shall be liable for prosecution/ civil consequences in case the information/details furnished by him/her are found to be false at a later stage.
- iii. CET CELL shall not be responsible for any application made/ wrong information provided by an unauthorized person/institution. **Applicants are advised not to share/mention their application details with/to anyone.**
- iv. Candidates are advised to download and read the detailed guidelines for filling in online application.
- v. In no case the request for change of Venue, Centre, Time slot will be entertained.
- vi. Candidates are directed to carry original Photo ID proof like, Aadhar Card, Pan Card, Driving License, Latest College ID at the CET centre, failing to produce the same will disqualify the candidate and will not be allowed to appear for the CET examination and Field Test examination.
- vii. **Candidates are advised to go through the detailed admission rules of the CET Examination they are going to appear before filling in the Form.**
- viii. **The registered candidate will have to appear for the CET and Field Test to become eligible as per the norms published in the CAP Information Brochure.**



19. Steps for filling Online Application Form at a glance:

First candidate should download and read the Information Brochure carefully and then Scan Photo and Signature separately as per the directions given in the Information Brochure and save it on your PC's Desktop, and then follow the following steps. Candidate should be careful to upload photo in place of photo and signature in place of signature.

Step 1. Go to website : <https://cetcell.mahacet.org/> & www.mahacet.org

Step 2 Click on link: **Registration**

Step 4. Register yourself by filling in the details.

Step 5. Already registered candidates should: Login in by filling in details for "Already Registered Candidates"

Step 6. Validate your filled in details

Step 7. Save and Submit form

Step 8 Take print out of the Form.

Step 09. If you have any problem: kindly raise the ticket through Ticketing System.

FOR EDITING THE REGISTRATION FORM CANDIDATE SHOULD FOLLOW:-

1. If candidate want to change the details filled in Registration form, then candidate should "log-Out" the on line application form & "Sign-In" again by entering the Registered E-Mail-ID & Password.
2. The home page will appear mentioning the link of all the courses.
3. On the top corner of the right side, the "Edit Profile" button is provided. Once you click on the "Edit Profile" button, candidate will be able to edit the Registration form.
4. After changing the details in registration form, candidate should Sign-Out by clicking on the Sign- Out Button.
5. After editing the "Registration form", candidate should Sign-In again by entering the Registered E-Mail-ID & Password. After Sign-In, the home page will appear mentioning the link of all the courses. Candidate should click on the Course Link Button by clicking it. Now the candidate will be able to complete the form by entering the details & paying payments.

In case of Emergency call on 07969134401 & 07969134402 during Office Hours from 10:00AM to 06:00 PM on all working days.

Toll Free Number: 18002090191



20. Document on Result Processing Methodology for the CET Examinations conducted in single shift.

CET CELL has conducted examination in one/single shift for B.Ed.-M.Ed., M.Ed., B.P.Ed., & M.P.Ed. CET 2025. All the candidates were given the same set of questions. The difficulty level of the question paper administered was same for all the candidates.

Percentile Scores: Percentile scores are scores based on the relative performance of all the Candidates who appear for the CET Examination. Basically, the marks obtained are transformed into a scale ranging from 100 to 0 for whole examination conducted in single Batch/shift using single Question Paper of all the examinees appearing for the said CET Examination.

The Percentile Score indicates the percentage of the candidates who have appeared for CET who have scored EQUAL TO OR BELOW (same or lower raw scores) in that examination. Therefore, the topper (highest score) of each CET Examination conducted in single shift will get the same Percentile of 100 which is desirable. The marks obtained in between the highest and lowest scores are also converted to appropriate Percentiles.

The Percentile score of a Candidate Appearing for the CET conducted in the single shift will be calculated using the following formula:

For Example: The Total Number of Present candidates are 4750 and the candidate's score is 78/100, and there are 4500 candidates whose score is less than or equal to 78. Therefore, the percentile will be calculated as = $(100 * 4500) / 4750 = 94.7368421$.

Roll Number	Total Raw Score	Percentile Score
D-S-01	90	100.0000000
D-S-02	88	99.9843660
D-S-03	86	99.9739434
D-S-04	80	95.2927719
D-S-05	78	94.7368421
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↓	↓	↓
D-S-86	45	30.7936839
D-S-87	33	27.1926625
D-S-88	20	23.8053051
D-S-89	10	20.6159779
D-S-90	8	17.6038355

Session	Day/Batch	No. of Candidates			Marks	
		Absent	Present	Total	Highest	Lowest
1	D1 B1	150	4750	4900	90	8

The Percentile Scores will be calculated up to 7 decimal places to avoid bunching effect and reduce ties.