



**“SWAMI VIVEKANANDA RESEARCH CENTRE”**

# **Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira**

**A Residential Autonomous College affiliated to University of Calcutta**

**College with Potential for Excellence (Phase 2)**

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**Advertisement for Ph.D. programme in Philosophy**  
**(For Male Candidates Only)**

## APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FROM ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES (MALE ONLY) WILLING TO PURSUE PH.D. COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY

### Details of the Admission Procedure

Total Seats (including all categories)	<b>04 (Approximately.)</b> <b>UR – 02, SC – 01, ST – 01</b>
Date and Time of Issue and Submission of Application Forms	<b>26 September, 2020 – 30 October, 2020</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Application Form is available on the college website: <a href="http://www.vidyamandira.ac.in">www.vidyamandira.ac.in</a> or <b>Just click the link - <a href="https://forms.gle/mNNkZxxZBpu5q1HJ9">https://forms.gle/mNNkZxxZBpu5q1HJ9</a></b></li><li>Application Fees: <b>Rs. 1000.00 for General Category &amp; OBC Category, Rs. 900.00 for SC &amp; ST Category</b> as the cost of form.</li></ul>	
Date of Ph.D. Entrance Test	<b>3 November, 2020</b> Paper-I: 2:30pm – 3:10pm. Paper-II: 3:20pm – 4:20pm.
Date of Publication of Result	<b>5 November, 2020</b> <b>Time: 10 pm</b> (please see the website for further details)
Date of Viva-voce	<b>9 November, 2020</b> <b>Time: 12 noon.</b>
Date of Publication of Result after Viva-voce	<b>10 November, 2020</b> <b>Time: 10 pm</b> (please see the website for further details)
Date of Admission	<b>11 &amp; 12 November, 2020</b>

Admission Fees:	<b>Rs. 25,000 only.</b>
Course Work Fees:	<b>Rs. 8,000 only.</b>

**Reservation :** As per Government rules

**Eligibility :** 55% marks in concerned subject at Master's Degree from a UGC recognized University / Institution. [5% relaxation for reserved categories]

**Procedure of Admission :**

1. Candidates have to appear in a Ph.D. Entrance Test and/or Viva-voce.
2. There will be two papers at the Ph.D. Entrance Test

Paper I: Research Methodology (Full Marks – 50)

Paper II: Subject Paper (Full Marks – 50)

**Paper I** will contain 25 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ). There will be no extra questions and no negative marking.

In **Paper II**, candidates are required to write a synopsis of his research proposal (within 1200 words).

Candidates must secure at least 50% marks in aggregate in SVRC RET (combined calculation of Paper I & II) to qualify for the Viva-voce.

3. Final Selection will be done only on the basis of the Viva-voce.

4. Candidates, who qualify in the written examination, will be called for the Viva-voce (Marks 50).

5. Candidates who have qualified for UGC-NET (including JRF) / UGC –CSIR-NET (including JRF) SET/GATE will be exempted from written test (i.e. Ph.D. Entrance Test) and will directly appear in the Viva-voce.

1. The candidate who has an M.Phil. (Regular two year course) degree and was admitted to the M.Phil. programme through a written test, or have qualified NET/SET shall be entitled to get exemption from written admission test and shall be called directly for the Viva-voce.

2. A candidate who has a two-years M.Phil. (Regular two year course) degree from any university other than Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira must submit a certificate

from the competent authority stating that the selection to the M.Phil. course has been made through a written test and that a full paper on Research Methodology & Computer Application of at least one semester duration was taught in the M.Phil. course.

8. Candidates must bring their original documents of Educational qualification & other testimonials at the time of Viva-voce.

7. The interview/Viva-voce shall also consider the following aspects, viz. whether:

7.1 the candidate possesses the competence for the proposed research.

7.2 the research work can be suitably undertaken at the College.

7.3 the proposed area of research can contribute to new/additional knowledge.

8. If the departmental Ph.D. Advisory Committee sees that the subject of research interest of a candidate is not matching with the available expertise of the department, then the candidate will not be selected.

9. The decision of the departmental Ph.D. Advisory Committee will be final under all circumstances.

10. If the departmental Ph.D. Advisory Committee sees that suitable candidates are not found after the Ph.D. Entrance Test and/or Viva Voce, seats may remain vacant even after the admission procedure is over.

**Note :** Candidate must bring their original Photo ID proof (issued by competent Authority) during Research Entrance Test & Viva-voce.



(Swami Ekachittananda)  
Principal(Offg.)

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