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Selection Criteria and Scheme of Examination for Teaching/Other Academic Posts in various Adarsh Sanskrit Mahavidyalayas (ASMs)/Adarsh Sanskrit Shodh Sansthans (ASSSs) recognized under “The Scheme for Financial Assistance to Institutions Recognized as ASMs/ASSSs -2022”

With reference to the above subject matter regarding teaching/other academic posts will be filled through the following Screening and Selection process and Scheme of Examination as prescribed under point No 17 of Advertisement No. 02/2025 Dated: 20.11.2025 and advertised in Employment News dated 29.11.2025.

1. The Selection process involves the following steps –

STEP 1 – Scrutiny of the Applications: -

The Scrutiny shall be based on the UGC Regulations and as per directions given in the Advertisement No. 02/2025 (Dated: 20.11.2025)

STEP 2 –Shortlisting Criteria and OMR based examination consisting of Multiple-Choice Questions (MCQs) : -

All eligible candidates will be called for OMR based examination consisting of Multiple-Choice Questions (MCQs) for shortlisting purpose only. On the basis of their performance, the candidates who secure 50% and above marks in the examination will be shortlisted for assessment and interview, subject to maximum ratio of 1:20 (20 candidates against 01 post), subject to availability of candidates. However, a relaxation of 5% shall be allowed, without including any grace marks procedure, for the candidates belonging to Schedule Caste/Scheduled Tribe/Other Backward Classes (OBC) (Non-creamy Layer)/Person with Benchmark Disability (PwBD) for the purpose of eligibility for Shortlisting against the concerned reserved category seats. Syllabus is already uploaded in the CSU's website on 12/01/2026 and available at: –

https://www.sanskrit.nic.in/uploads/2026_01_12_Adarsh_Syllabus.pdf

STEP 3 – Assessment Criteria for understanding the Abilities of the Shortlisted Candidates: -

To ensure the credibility of the system, the following essential tasks must be completed by shortlisted candidates prior to the interview. These tasks are designed to understand the candidates' various competencies. Through these tasks, candidates are expected to introduce themselves and present their vision, demonstrating in-depth knowledge of their respective Shastras/Subjects and their application in the modern era -

a) Assessment of Research Aptitude and Writing Skills – This task will be conducted for assessment of the candidates in effective writing skills, understanding the research abilities & subject presentation skill etc. for the positions. Contents of this task and other details of criteria are mentioned herewith. This task will be conducted alongwith the OMR based examination as indicated in the STEP -2. Descriptive answer scripts of this task will be assessed, only of those candidates who will shortlisted for Interview. In this regard the scheme of examination and syllabus details etc. are already uploaded in the CSU's website on 12/01/2026 and available at –

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b) Video presentation – All the shortlisted candidates are required to make 10 to 15 minutes of video presentation. The candidate is expected to talk about his/her expertise in any relevant field/area and/or on the topics mentioned in syllabus of OMR/written test (https://www.sanskrit.nic.in/uploads/2026_01_12_Adarsh_Syllabus.pdf) or on the topics such as Indian Knowledge System, Interdisciplinary Research & Scientific topics related to Sanskrit literature. The language of the video can be Sanskrit/Hindi/English/Tamil/ Manipuri, as per applicability. It should be recorded on mobile phone or any special equipment. It will not be evaluated for production quality, but for what and how the candidate presents himself/herself. The video is expected to be uploaded by the candidate on YouTube and/or any online platform. The URL of the video should be uploaded in specific column in the prescribed place. However, in this regard, separate guidelines will be given on the website of the university in due course.

c) PPT presentation – All shortlisted candidates must make a PPT presentation of not more than 10 slides and 10 minutes. The applicant is free to include teaching material or seminar papers in the presentation. The presentation will be followed by questions and answers for 10 minutes. This PPT presentation will be held one day before of the scheduled personal interview by all shortlisted candidates.

iv. STEP 4 – Document Verification – All original certificates and publications will be verified by a committee, before the day of interview, in accordance with the claiming in the application form.

v. STEP 5 – A Face-to-Face Interview for all the Shortlisted Candidates – The eventual selection will be done on the basis of performance in the interview. All the other criteria as mentioned in STEP-3 are conducted for accessorial assistance of Selection Committee in comprehensive understanding of the abilities of the candidates and this material will be considered/used for assessment by the Selection Committee at the interview stage.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. As regards the STEP-2 of Shortlisting process as mentioned above, The duration of OMR based examination will be 90 minutes, consisting of 100 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) carrying 01 mark each. There will be no negative marking. For all subjects, the medium of instruction for
 - Part-1 of the multiple-choice question paper will be in Hindi / English. However, a few questions related to language competency test are to be answered in respective language, as specified in the syllabus.
 - Subjects related to Sanskrit, the medium of instruction for Part-2 of the question paper will compulsorily be Sanskrit.
 - Other Indian and modern languages, the medium of instruction for Part-2 will be the language in which the examination is being conducted.
 - The College Librarian post, the medium of instruction for the question paper will be Hindi and English.

Wherever a bilingual version is available in the question paper, the English version will be considered final and authoritative for interpretation in case of any ambiguity.

2. The STEP 3 will be used for assessment of the candidates in effective writing skills and subject presentation ability etc. The assessment of STEP 3 will not have any impact on the shortlisting process, as no further shortlisting done in STEP 3.
3. The list of shortlisted candidates will be announced in due course and after announcing the list, the shortlisted candidates are required to upload the video as mentioned in STEP 3 (b), through prescribed format and mode.
4. As regards the STEP-3 (a), Assessment of Research Aptitude and Writing Skills, the duration for answering the questions will be 60 minutes. The written test will be worth 50 marks, consisting of one essay question (20 marks) and three short answer questions (10 marks each). In this task, the questions to be answered in any one language i.e. Sanskrit/English/Hindi or relevant subject language, as per applicability.
5. As regards the STEP-3 (c), the Documents Verification will also be done on the day of PPT presentation i.e. one day before the interview. The shortlisted candidates must bring all original documents and publications for verification.
6. The interview will be conducted after completion of the entire process of STEP 1 to STEP 4, as mentioned above.

7. The venue and date for the interaction (PPT presentation and document verification) as well as the final interview will be at Central Sanskrit University, 56–57, Institutional Area, Janakpuri, New Delhi – 110058.
8. In this regard, it is to be noted that The Central Sanskrit University, Delhi is acting as a Nodal Agency (Grantor Agency) for conducting merely the central recruitment process on behalf of Adarsh institutions under the provision of the Revised Adarsh Scheme-2022. **“All persons employed on teaching as well as other academic posts in the ASM/ASSS receiving financial assistance under this scheme shall be the employees of that particular ASM/ASSS, and not of the Government of India/Central Sanskrit University. They shall not for any purpose be compared with the employees of the Government of India or the Central Sanskrit University under any circumstances. The liability of University shall be limited to the extent of providing grants/financial assistance to the ASMs/ASSSs and administrative control on the issues prescribed in this Scheme.”**
9. All relevant information will be published on the website of Central Sanskrit University only and no other mode of information to be made or adopted by the university. Hence, the candidates are advised to visit the website of the university i.e. www.sanskrit.nic.in from time to time.
10. **The University reserves the rights to cancel, withdraw, convert, modify or appropriately use selection criteria at any stage if required, in case of any anomalous situation arise etc. with the consent of Competent Authority.**
11. **The Competent Authority of Central Sanskrit University will take appropriate decision for resolving any issue/anomaly which arise during the implementation of the Scheme of Examination and Selection Criteria.**

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