PERIYAR UNIVERSITY

(NAAC ACCREDITED STATE UNIVERSITY)

SALEM - 636 011

TAMIL NADU

University Departments
Prospectus and Application form
M.B.A. / M.C.A. / M.Ed.

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UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS
PROSPECTUS 2018-2019
Instructions to Candidates

1. Candidates should read the prospectus carefully before filling in the application form.
2. Applications must be complete in all aspects. Incomplete applications are liable to be rejected without any intimation.
3. Separate application should be submitted for each programme.
4. Foreign nationals including NRIs with valid Passports and Visas issued by the Government of India and refugees will be considered for admission subject to their eligibility in terms of schooling and qualifying examinations passed.
5. 15% of the total allotted seats is earmarked on a supernumerary basis for foreign nationals including NRIs in all the PG programmes.
6. Fees paid will not be refunded if a student leaves the programme after admission.
7. The duly filled in application should be sent to the respective **HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT, PERIYAR UNIVERSITY, SALEM – 636 011**.
8. Self attested copies of mark statements of the qualifying examinations should be sent along with the filled in application form.
9. Candidates who have passed their qualifying examinations from other Universities should obtain the eligibility certificate from Periyar University and submit the same at the time of admission.
10. To obtain the eligibility certificate, candidates are directed to contact the office of the Registrar.
11. Entrance examination will be conducted by some Departments and intimate the result to the candidates.
12. Admission to Master's Degree programmes is based on the marks obtained in both the qualifying examinations and the entrance examination.
13. A self – addressed stamped envelope (28cm x13cm) for Rs.10/- shall be attached along with the filled-in application.
14. The University is not responsible for any postal delay or loss in transit.
15. The number of seats are limited in the programmes offered by the Departments. Selection is based on merit and the communal roster system of the Govt. of Tamil Nadu.
16. Candidates from other states (except SC/ST) will be considered for selection under the **General Turn** only.
17. **Last date for Submission of filled in Application forms : 18.05.2018**

Admission will be made on the aggregation upto the 5th semester marks. Passing in 6th semester is mandatory.

Entrance Test for PG Programmes : 25.05.2018

Enclose attested copies of the following certificates along with the application

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Community Certificate, Transfer Certificate, Mark Statements (10th, Higher Secondary and UG), Self addressed envelope to the value of Rs.10/- (28cm x 13cm).

PERIYAR UNIVERSITY
PROFILE

Named after the renowned rationalist of the twentieth century, Thiru E.V. Ramasamy affectionately called 'Thanthai Periyar', Periyar University was established by the Periyar University Act, 1997 passed by the Tamil Nadu State Legislature. The long-felt need for a University in this area was thus fulfilled. The University has jurisdiction over four districts, viz., Salem, Namakkal, Dharmapuri and Krishnagiri. Periyar University was established on Periyar's birthday-17th September 1997. The University aims at developing knowledge in various fields to realize the maxim inscribed in the logo "**Arival Vilayum Ulagu"** (Wisdom Maketh the World). At present, the University has **27** Departments which comprised of **8** schools, **5** Constituent colleges and **1** PG Extension Centre.

SCHOOLS AND DEPARTMENTS	
School of Biosciences • Biochemistry • Biotechnology • Microbiology	**School of Languages** • English • Tamil
School of Mathematics • Computer Science • Library and Information Science • Mathematics	**School of Professional Studies** • Education • Food Science and Nutrition • Textiles and Apparel Design
School of Physical Sciences • Physics • Chemistry • Geology • Energy Studies	**School of Social Sciences** • Sociology • Psychology • Journalism and Mass Communication • History
School of Business Studies • Commerce • Economics • Periyar Institute of Management Studies	**School of Life Sciences** • Botany • Zoology • Environmental Science • Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics

Constituent Colleges

1. Periyar University College of Arts and Science   Mettur
2. Periyar University College of Arts and Science   Pennagaram
3. Periyar University College of Arts and Science   Harur
4. Periyar University College of Arts and Science   Pappireddipatty
5. Periyar University College of Arts and Science   Idappadi
6. Periyar University College of Arts and Science   Senthamangalam

PG Extension Centre

1. PG Extension Centre   Dharmapuri

Programmes Offered under CBCS

	Arts		22	M.Sc. Energy Studies
1	M.A. Tamil		23	M.Sc. Statistics
2	M.A. English		24	M.Sc. Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics
3	M.A. Economics			**Commerce**
4	M.A. Journalism and Mass Communication		25	M.Com.
5	M.A. Sociology			**Education**
6	M.A. History		26	M.Ed.
	Science			**Management Studies**
7	M.Sc. Biochemistry		27	Business Administration
8	M.Sc. Biotechnology			**Computer Application**
9	M.Sc. Botany		28	M.C.A. (3 year Programme)
10	M.Sc. Chemistry		29	M.C.A. Lateral Entry (2 year Programme)
11	M.Sc. Computer Science			**Vocation Programme**
12	M.Sc. Environmental Science		30	B.Voc. Food Science and Nutrition
13	M.Sc. Food Science Technology and Nutrition		31	B.Voc. Textile and Apparel Design
14	M.Sc. Applied Geology			**Certificate Programme**
15	Master of Library and Information Science		32	Quality Control
16	M.Sc. Mathematics			**Diploma**
17	M.Sc. Microbiology		33	Health Science Management
18	M.Sc. Physics			**PG Diploma**
19	M.Sc. Applied Psychology		34	Data Analytics
20	M.Sc. Zoology			**Five Year Integrated Programme**
21	M.Sc. Textile and Apparel Design		35	M.A. Journalism and Mass Communication (Electronic Media)

Location

Periyar University is located on the National Highways (NH-7) towards Bengaluru at 10 kms from the Salem New Bus Stand. It is well connected by frequent city bus service linking Salem and other places like Omalur, Dharmapuri and Krishnagiri.

Student Support Services

Student Support Services are available through the General and Department Libraries, Sports, National Service Scheme, Youth Red Cross Society and Women's Studies Centre.

Library

The Periyar University Library has **88,576** volumes of text and reference books on various disciplines. The library subscribes to **167** National and International Journals, **7013** Online Journals and **13** leading Newspapers. It is fully computerized using an integrated multi user library management system. Library Database is also accessible through Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC).

The University Library has a collection of **2,629** CDs / DVDs, **3,046** theses, **3,926** back volumes and **1,110** reports. In addition, question bank of Periyar University Examinations and the theses submitted to Periyar University are available in the e-format.

The UGC has sanctioned funds to establish a UGC-INFONET Digital Library in Periyar University Library and provide online access for the available E-Resources.

Amenities

The University has transportation services for the convenience of the staff and students. The campus is also connected with very frequent city buses from the Salem city. The University runs exclusive hostels for boys and girls. There are well-equipped Library, Computer Centre, Health and Sports Stadium. A Post-Office, Bank, and Co-operative Society are functioning in the University Campus for the benefit of the staff and students.

Student Computing Facilities

The internet centre is equipped with the latest state of the art technology with a 1 Gbps Broadband. It has high speed internet server, scanner, web camera, printer cum copier machines and multimedia accessibility. Apart from these facilities, each Department has a Broadband Internet connectivity with LAN facility for the use of students and faculty members. Further, the University is connected with National Knowledge Network.

Scholarships

A number of scholarships which include the Government of India, Merit, Backward, Most Backward Class Scholarships, Scheduled Caste, and Scheduled Tribe Scholarships are available to the students admitted to the PG Degree courses. UGC Sponsored scholarships such as Single Girl Child, Rank holders, Rajiv Gandhi JRF & SRF etc. are also available.

Sports

The Department of Physical Education promotes and monitors the sports activities of the students of Periyar University and its affiliated colleges.

National Service Scheme

The National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of Periyar University organises regular and special camps in the areas of Health and Hygiene, Literacy, Environmental Protection, Watershed Management, Infrastructure Development and Personality Development. It involves student volunteers in various youth-related Seminars, Workshops and Training Programmes. The Red Ribbon Club is involved in AIDS Awareness Programmes, Blood

Donation Camps and other such programmes with the focus on enhancing the wellbeing of our society.

Youth Red Cross Society

The Youth Red Cross Society of Periyar University unit imparts training in First Aid, Disaster Management, Counseling, Capacity Building and similar activities to the students so that they are ready to be of service during times of distress.

Women's Studies Centre

The UGC funded Women's Studies Centre (WSC) concentrates on empowering women students by maximizing their potentials to lead a dignified and independent life. It offers guidance and timely support to students and creates a conducive atmosphere for women students to pursue higher studies.

Career Guidance and Placement Cell

Periyar University constantly endeavours to get its students placed in reputed multinational companies, Government departments and private sector through its Career Guidance and Placement Cell. Students are given training in communication, interview skills and general aptitude.

Eligibility

S.No.	Programme	Eligibility
1.	MBA (Two Years)	Any Degree with minimum of 50% Marks and TANCET 2017/MAT 2017/CAT 2017/PRIMS Entrance Exam or any other equivalent admission test score. Group discussion and Personal Interview.
2.	MCA (Three Years)	A pass in any recognized Bachelor's Degree of minimum 3 years duration in 10+2+3/4 pattern in any discipline with Mathematics as a subject at 10th, +2 level or any recognized Bachelor's Degree of minimum 3 years duration in 10+2+3 years pattern in any discipline with Mathematics or Statistics as a course.
	MCA **Lateral Entry** (Two years)	A pass in a recognized Bachelor's Degree of minimum 3 years duration with 10+2+3 pattern in B.C.A. B.Sc. (Information Technology / Computer Science) with Mathematics as a subject at 10th, +2 level with at least 50% (45% in case of candidates belonging to reserved category) in the qualifying Degree examinations.
3.	M.Ed. (Two years)	B.Ed./B.A., B.Ed./B.Sc. B.Ed./B.El.Ed./D.El. Ed. with an undergraduate degree (with 50% of marks in each) For SC/ST Communities, 45% Marks.

<h1 align="center">Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) Regulations</h1>

Master's Degree programmes are offered under the CBCS Pattern

1. Course Structure

1.1 A Master's Degree programme consists of a number of courses. The term course is used to indicate a logical part of a subject matter of the programme.

1.2 **Core Courses**

Core courses are compulsory basic subjects of the programme offered by the respective departments. Core courses offered by one department will not be treated as an elective by other departments.

1.3 **Elective Courses**

(i) Elective courses are to be offered by the respective parent department for two year and three year Master's Degree programmes.

1.4 **Supportive Courses**

(i) Supportive courses are of fundamental/intermediary level and introductory in nature.

(ii) Each department, in consultation with other departments, will offer supportive courses during II and III semesters.

(iii) These courses are aimed at bridging the gap in the curricula to enable learning mathematical, statistical, computational skills to learn about advancements in other disciplines/to develop communicative skills language skills etc.

1.5 **SWAYAM Courses**

All the Master level students must enrol two courses related to their discipline of study in the second and third Semesters from SWAYAM and SWAYAM PRABHA Digital repository.

1.6 **Human Rights**

Human Rights is a compulsory credit course for all the Master's Degree programmes to be offered in II semester.

2. Semesters

2.1 An academic year is divided into two Semesters. The normal Semester periods are:

Odd Semester	: **July to November**
Even Semester	: **December to April**

2.2 In each Semester, courses are administered in 18 (eighteen) teaching weeks with 30 working hours spread over a 5-days / week.

3. Credits

3.1 The term credit is used to describe the quantum of syllabus for various programmes in terms of hours of study. It indicates differential weightage given according to the contents and duration of the courses in the curriculum design.

4. Course Content

4.1 Each course is designed variously under lectures / tutorials / laboratory work / seminar / project work /practical training / report writing / viva-voce etc., to meet effective teaching and learning needs and the credits are assigned suitably.

5. Course Labeling

The courses listed by each department will be denoted with components of (L-T-P-C) where L,T,P,C refer to the credits assigned to Lecture, Tutorial, Practical / Laboratory / Field Visit and total credit under each one of the courses. In addition to learning the subject of choice and peripheral subjects of use, emphasis will also be given for improving communication, language and computer skills of the students.

6. Evaluation

Evaluation will be done on a continuous basis four times during the course work. The first evaluation will be in the 7th week, the second in the 11th week, third in the 16th week and the end – semester examination in the 19th week. Evaluation may be by objective type questions, short answers, essays or a combination of these, but the end Semester examination is a written examination.

7. Grading System

The term **Grading System** indicates a seven point scale of evaluation of the performance of students in terms of marks, grade points, letter grade and class as given below :

Seven Point Grade system			
Range of marks	**Grade Points**	**Letter Grade**	**Description**
90-100	9.0-10.0	O	Outstanding
80-89	8.0-8.9	D+	Excellent
75-79	7.5-7.9	D	Distinction
70-74	7.0-7.4	A+	Very Good
60-69	6.0-6.9	A	Good
50-59	5.0-5.9	B	Average
00-49	0.0	U	Reappear
Absent	0.0	AAA	Absent

8. Student Advisor

All the teachers of the department should function as student advisors. There will be more or less an equal number of students assigned to each student advisor of a Department. The student advisor will help the students in choosing core and elective courses of study. The student advisor is responsible for registration of courses by his wards. The student advisor will offer all possible student support services.

9. Duration

9.1   A student shall obtain the Master's Degree if he/she has:

   a. registered, undergone and secured the required minimum credits for all the Core and Elective courses and completed the Project Report/Dissertation specified in the Curriculum corresponding to his/her programme within the stipulated time

   b. no dues to the university, hostel and library

   c. no disciplinary action pending against him/her

9.2   The duration for completion of a two year Master's Degree programme in any subject is **four**   Semesters. The maximum period for completion is **eight** Semesters.

9.3   The duration for completion of a three year Master's Degree programme in any subject is **six** Semesters. The maximum period for completion is **ten** Semesters.

9.4   The duration for completion of a five year Integrated Master's Degree Programme in any subject is **ten** Semesters. The maximum period for completion is **fourteen** Semesters.

10. Structure of the Programme

Master's Degree programmes consist of:

10.1   Core courses which are compulsory for all students.

10.2   Elective courses which students can choose from amongst the courses approved within the Department.

10.3   Online courses which students can choose from the SWAYAM / SWAYAM PRABHA Digital repository.

10.4   Dissertation/Project work/Practical training/Field work, which can be done either in the Department or in an organisation (Government, Industry, Firm, and Public Enterprises etc.) approved by the departments concerned along with a viva–voce and supportive courses offered by other departments.

11. Registration

11.1   After admission to the programme, a registration number will be assigned to each student, giving the year of admission and the programme.

11.2   Every student must   register   for the courses he/she intends to undergo in the semester as specified in the course content book and on a specified time notified in the academic calendar.

11.3   The information related to registration has to be provided in the prescribed Proforma.

11.4   The registration form will give details of core, elective and supportive courses to be taken in a semester with the number of credits.

11.5   The student should consult the student advisor for the choice of the course.

11.6   The registration form should be filled in triplicate with full details of the core, elective and supportive courses to be taken in a semester with the number of credits and signed by the student and student advisor.

11.7   Withdrawal from a course is permitted up to one week from the date of registration.

11.8   However, withdrawal of any course will not be permitted for those who undergo late registration. Cancellation of a course (Core/Elective/ Supportive) may be permitted before the conduct of first assessment test.

11.9   After registration, a student can drop from a course admitted to earlier and can substitute it by another course for valid reasons with the consent of the student advisor, but within the stipulated time.

11.10 From the second semester onwards, registration for the courses will be done by the students on a specified date in consultation with the student advisor. A student will become eligible for registration only if he/she has cleared all the dues to the Institution, accrued during the previous semester.

11.11 Late registration will be permitted up to two weeks of the commencement of the semester, on payment of a late registration fee.

12. Discipline/Ragging

Each student is required to observe discipline and decorous behaviour both   inside and outside the campus and should not indulge in any activity, which will tend to bring down the prestige of the institution.

Ragging is unlawful and will be viewed seriously. The registration of students will be automatically cancelled if the charges are proved. As per the UGC recommendation, if any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the student concerned shall be given a chance to explain and if his/her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authorities would expel him/her from the University.

13. Attendance

13.1.   Every teaching faculty handling a course is responsible for the attendance of candidates who have registered for the course.

13.2.   The course teacher must intimate the department at least seven calendar days before the last working day in the semester about the particulars of all students who have secured an attendance of less than 75%.

13.3.   A candidate who has an attendance of less than 75% shall not be permitted to sit for the end semester examination in the course in which the shortage exists.

13.4.   However, it shall be open to the department to grant exemption to a candidate who has failed to obtain the prescribed 75% attendance for valid reasons on payment of a fine and such exemption should not under any circumstances be granted for attendance below 65%.

13.5.   The department will announce the names of the students who are not eligible to take the end semester examination in the various courses. Registration of such students for their course should be treated as cancelled. If the course is a core course, the candidate should register again and repeat the course when it is offered next.

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Fee Structure for M.Ed. Programme
2018 – 2019

S.No	Particulars	I Year Rs	II Year Rs
1.	Admission Fee	50	---
2.	Registration Fee	100	---
3.	Recognition Fee	250	---
4.	Identity Card	60	---
5.	Internet / Barcode	200	---
6.	Development and Infrastructure in the University	2000	2000
7.	Special Fee	1000	1000
8.	Tuition Fee	4500	4500
9.	Fees for Laboratory		
	a. Psychology Lab	1000	1000
	b. Education Technology Lab	2000	2000
	c. Computer Lab	2500	2500
	d. Internship	1500	----
10.	Library	500	500
11.	Dissertation Evaluation	----	1500
12.	Sports Fee	100	100
13.	Students Welfare fund	75	75
14.	YRC	10	10
15.	Medical Insurance	30	30
	Total	**Rs.15,875**	**Rs.15,215**
	Grand Total		**Rs.31,090/-**

Fees Structure for M.B.A. and M.C.A. (2018 – 2019)

Sl. No	Name of the Department	One time fee							Annual Fee in Rupees													
		Admission Fee	Matriculation Fee	Registration Fee	Recognition Fee	Caution Deposit (Refundable)	Identity Card	Placement Fee	Library Fee	Sports Fee	Students Welfare fund	Internet Charges	YRC	Medical Insurance	Tuition Fee	Laboratory Fee	Soft Skill Training	Field & Industrial Visit	Development & Infrastructure Fee	First Year Fees	Second Year Fees	Third Year Fees
1.	MCA Three Years	100	100	150	250	1000	60	500	500	100	75	1500	10	30	2000	5505	2000	1500	6500	21,880	19,720	19,720
	First Semester : Rs. 12,020/- Second/ Fourth/Sixth Semester : Rs. 9,860/- Third/Fifth Semester : Rs. 9,860																					
	MCA Two Years Lateral Entry	100	100	150	250	1000	60	500	500	100	75	1500	10	30	2000	15500	2000	1500	6500	---	31,875	29,715
	Third Semester : Rs.17,020/- Fifth Semester : Rs,14,850 /- Fourth/Sixth Semester : Rs.14,860/-																					
2.	M.B.A.	100	100	150	250	1000	60	500	500	100	75	1500	10	30	8000	1500	1000	1500	5500	21,875	19,715	--