



COTTON UNIVERSITY

Panbazar, Guwahati, Assam-781 001

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No. CU/Acad/PG Admission/2026/249/431

Date: 22-07-2026

ADMISSION NOTIFICATION

(Provisional 1st Merit List for Admission into MA/MSc/MCA/M.Com/MLISc/LLM)

This is to inform all concerned that the provisional merit lists for Unreserved and Reserved seats in both the Cotton Graduate and the Open Category for admission into MA/MSc/MCA/M.Com/MLISc/LLM 1st semester for the academic year 2026-27 are as enclosed.

Candidates are advised to take note of the following:

1. Cotton Graduate merit lists are exhaustive i.e. all applicants of Cotton Graduates are listed. The Open Category merit lists are not exhaustive, i.e. subsequent lists may be shared as applicable.
2. **The candidates with equal marks have not been listed according to merit.** The following **Tie-Breaking Rules** shall be adopted to determine their relative merit positions:
 - a) If there is more than one candidate tied with the same CPGEE score for a seat, then the candidate with the lower negative marks in the CPGEE-2026 shall be placed higher in the merit list.
 - b) In case, the above rule (a), still cannot break the tie, then the candidate with the earlier Date of Birth shall be placed higher in the merit list. The final position in the merit lists, when the above tie breaking rules are taken into account, may differ.
3. Admission will be based strictly on the Provisional Merit List published on the Cotton University website. Admission will be held OFFLINE, therefore, either the Candidate or a parent/guardian have to be physically present on the day of admission, if he/she wishes to take admission in Cotton University.
4. Names having featured in published Merit List do not guarantee admission. Admission is subject to availability of the seats and fulfillment of the University Admission Rules and Regulations.
5. **Documents to be produced at the time of admission (Originals and a set of self-attested copies of the same-hard copy)**
 - a. A print out of the online application form (duly signed by the candidate).
 - b. Pass Certificate and Grade-sheet of the last qualifying examination.

- c. Reserved Category Certificate, if applicable (only a certificate issued by the competent authority from Govt. of Assam shall be deemed valid).
 - d. A valid Economically Weaker Section (EWS) income/asset certificate, wherever applicable, from the Circle Officer/Revenue Officer.
 - e. **A copy of Aadhaar Card**
 - f. Documents required for claiming Fee waiver, if applicable:
 - (i) Ration Card, **Or** (ii) Income Certificate issued by the Circle Officer/Revenue Officer. A **declaration** is to be submitted by the candidate in this regard, in the Proforma as enclosed. For details, please refer to the updated Notifications on Fee Waiver Scheme released by the Government of Assam.
 - g. Proof of Age Certificate.
 - h. Gap Certificate (Original), provided by the institution last attended or a notarized affidavit, wherever applicable.
 - i. Duly filled-in **Anti-Ragging Undertaking** as enclosed herewith.
6. Hostel allotment requires a separate procedure at a later date after the admission and the same would be notified by the Office of the Director of Students' Welfare accordingly.
 7. On securing admission in Cotton University, students must complete the **Anti Ragging Undertaking** formalities through the following web link (www.cottonuniversity.ac.in) within 15 days from admission **to receive their Student ID cards**.
 8. Admission for PwD/Differently Abled candidates and under Extra-Curricular quota (as applicable) will be held on a later date, to be notified by Office of the Director of Students' Welfare.
 9. Candidates are requested to check Cotton University website for a regular update in this regard.
 10. **All admissions are provisional** until the completion of all admission related formalities and verifications get over. The decision of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor will be final as and when deemed appropriate.

Admission Timeline:

Date/Day	9.00AM-1.00 PM	Venue
July 28, 2026 Tuesday	MA-Archaeology, M.Com, LLM, MSc-EBWS, MLISc, MSc-MBBT and MCA	KBR Hall, Cotton University

MODE OF ADMISSION- OFFLINE


 Academic Registrar

Enclosure:

- i. Open Category Provisional Merit List (based on CPGEE Score)
- ii. Anti Ragging Undertaking
- iii. Fee Waiver Declaration

e-Copy to:

1. PS to VC
2. PS to Registrar
3. All Deans
4. All HoDs
5. Director-Students' Welfare
6. Convener, PG Admission Committee-2026
7. Finance Office, to depute staff for collection of admission fees
8. Librarian
9. Executive Engineer to ensure preparedness of the KBR Hall
10. GAD to ensure housekeeping arrangement of the KBR Hall
11. CSM to upload this Notice on University Website and to facilitate the Admission Process
12. Office File