e-Prospectus Bachelor of Education Programme Session 2022-24



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DIRECTORATE OF DISTANCE EDUCATION UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU JAMMU

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- 1. Course Structure: The Course Structure for Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Programme in the Directorate of Distance Education shall extend over a period of two academic years (04 Semesters). This course shall be based on contact programmes, practice of teaching, internship or field Work (different components), Project work, workshop, assignments, external as well as internal examinations etc. The detailed scheme of the programme in terms of number of papers and other similar components shall be as same as is in vogue in the Colleges of Education affiliated to the University of Jammu.
- **2. Duration**: B.Ed. programme offered through the DDE is of two year duration (four semesters). However, as per the Regulation 3 of NCTE Norms and Standards for Bachelor of Education Programme through Distance Learning System, students shall be permitted to complete the components of the degree within a period of five years.
- **3. Intake Capacity:** The intake capacity for the two year B.Ed. Programme in the DDE in a given academic session shall be 500.
- **4. Time of Admission:** Admission to B.Ed. Programme through distance mode by the Directorate of Distance Education, University of Jammu shall start ordinarily in the first week of July every year.
- **5. Eligibility:** Admission to B.Ed. Programme in the Directorate shall be open to those candidates:
 - i) Candidates with atleast 50% marks (45% for SC/ST candidates) either in the Bachelor's Degree (10+2+3 pattern) and /or Master's degree in Sciences/ Social Sciences/ Humanity, Bachelor's in Engineering or Technology with specialization in Science and Mathematics with 55% marks or any other qualification equivalent thereto, are eligible for admission to the programme.

- ii) who are serving as full time teachers in recognized schools (Primary, Elementary, Secondary, Higher Secondary levels) within the territorial jurisdiction of the university of jammu.
- iii) Who have a minimum of 2 years teaching experience either at a stretch or in parts at the time of submission of the application form for admission. The experience/service certificate has to be countersigned by the competent authority concerned.
- iv) First preference will be given to the candidates who have completed Diploma in Education/Diploma in Elementary Education/ who are trained in-service teachers in Elementary Education.
- **6. Reserved Category Seats:** The reservation in seats for admission to the B.Ed. Programme for SC/ST/OBC/PWD and other categories shall be as per the rules of JKUT / University of Jammu.
- **7. Admission Procedure:** Admission shall be made through Counselling on the basis of properly filled in forms. Incomplete forms shall be rejected. The Counselling schedule shall be notified separately. No separate invitation for Counselling shall be sent individually to the candidates. The candidates have to be present personally at the time of Counselling.
- **8. Self Learning Material:** The Directorate shall provide the self learning material to the enrolled students as per the prescribed syllabi and statutes.
- **9. Personal Contact Programme:** Apart from the self learning material, the DDE shall conduct 04 personal contact programmes (one in each semester) during the entire programme in addition to other programmes like internship, workshops, extension lectures, etc. The duration of each contact programme shall be 15 working days per semester which will be conducted at different available academic institutions/PCP centres.
- **10.Curriculum:** The curriculum of the B.Ed programme offered through the face to face (applicable to the Colleges of Education affiliated to the University of Jammu) will be the curriculum of the B.Ed programme through the Distance mode by the Directorate of Distance Education, University of Jammu.

11. Practical Components

- Internship/School Based Activities: The student teachers pursuing B.Ed programme through the distance mode by the Directorate of Distance Education shall be involved in activities which a teacher is supposed to perform in the school. These activities shall be conducted in the recognized institutions of the School Education Department like Elementary Schools, Anganwadi centres, SIE, DIETS, High and Higher Secondary Schools. As per Regulation 6.2 (g) of NCTE Norms and Standards for Bachelor of Education Programme through Distance Learning System, the student-teacher shall with faculty member (a senior interact and experienced teacher/principal/faculty of the school where the student teacher is working) to work on school based activities. Thus, a student-teacher shall be supervised/guided by the mentor for the school based activities. (Annexure-2). The activities of the student-teacher shall be monitored by a team comprising three senior teacher-educators, constituted in consultation with Dean and coordinator concerned. The team shall visit the venue when internship and teaching practice are in progress.
- Practice of Teaching: As per Regulation 6.2 (h) of NCTE Norms and Standards for Bachelor of Education Programme through Distance Learning System, this activity shall be conducted in the recognized schools of the School Education Department where the student teacher works, under supervision of senior teacher/ headmaster/principal of the school concerned. (Annexure-3) The student teacher shall be provided constructive feedback on his/her performance by the supervisors/ teacher educators. The student teacher shall discuss with supervisors/teacher educators the preparation of the lesson plans, delivery of lessons and feedback on the lessons delivered. Each student teacher shall receive personal supervision and feedback on his/her teaching practice from the teacher. Considerable emphasis will be given on skill development and pedagogy.
- 12. Medium of Instructions and Examination: English shall be the medium of instruction and examination in all papers except in Modern Indian Languages, where the

medium of instruction and examination shall be the language concerned.

Note: Before submitting the on-line Application form, candidates are advised to read the e-prospectus carefully to ensure that they fulfill all the eligibility conditions laid down for admission to B.Ed. Programme. In case, it is detected at any subsequent stage that a candidate does not fulfill the eligibility criteria and/or has furnished in correct information, concealed/ suppressed material facts, his/her candidature will be cancelled, even if already admitted.