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Ph.D. NURSING ENTRANCE EXAMINATION-2026



Message from Chancellor

Dear Students,

As Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, it brings me great pleasure to extend a warm welcome to our esteemed institution. As we embark on the academic year 2026-27, I am thrilled to share with you the remarkable achievements that our University has attained in various spheres.

Desh Bhagat University has always been committed to excellence in academics, innovation and entrepreneurship. Through dedicated efforts and unwavering determination, we have established ourselves as a beacon of educational prowess, nurturing the minds of tomorrow's leaders.

Our journey towards excellence is marked by the establishment of cutting-edge Centers of Excellence, where emerging technologies are explored and harnessed for the betterment of society. These centers serve as hubs of innovation, fostering a culture of creativity and discovery among our students and faculty members.

At Desh Bhagat University, diversity is celebrated and embraced wholeheartedly. We take pride in welcoming students from all corners of the globe, fostering an environment that is rich in cultural exchange as well as mutual learning. Our diverse programs cater to the varied interests and aspirations of our student body, ensuring that every individual finds their path to success.



Through strategic collaborations and partnerships, we are constantly expanding our horizons and pushing the boundaries of knowledge. Our commitment to upskilling and internationalization ensures that our students are equipped with the skills and perspectives needed to thrive in an increasingly interconnected world.

To our new batch of students, I extend my heartfelt congratulations. You have chosen a path of excellence and we are here to support you every step of the way. At Desh Bhagat University, we are dedicated to providing you with the best facilities, holistic development opportunities, and an enriching campus life experience.

As you embark on this journey, remember that the future is yours to shape. Seize every opportunity embrace every challenge and dare to dream big. Together, let us create an amazing future filled with endless possibilities.

Welcome to Desh Bhagat University, where excellence knows no bounds.

Warm regards



Dr. Zora Singh
Chancellor, DBU

Vice Chancellor Desk

Prof. (Dr.) Harsh Sadawarti
Vice Chancellor, DBU



Education is a life-long learning process. It happens at all the time, in pre-designated institutions called school, colleges or home, in formal and informal learning settings throughout the entire life-span. Therefore the mission is to provide a learning environment and opportunities to the human beings as the learners. Shaping impressionable minds of youth is one of life's biggest challenges. At DeshBhagat University, we aim to empower our students to transform them into individuals having sharp and positive mindset with an international perspective, ready to make a mark in the professional world.

Our distinctive educational programs, industry compatible curriculum, digital & technical infrastructure and innovative teaching techniques encourage students to build up critical-thinking and learn through enquiry and reason, to develop key personal and social values, to exchange thoughts and ideas, to set targets to explore and realize their own unique potential. The experience of practical learning, industry & technology inclusion enables our students to leave our university with accomplishments and true opportunities.

The distinctive and firm underlying philosophy of DeshBhagat University is to provide Holistic Global Education to future generation and play a significant role in nation building. Our aim is to create a society of progressive and thinking individuals who further contribute in the intellectual development of global Community. With Extreme Joy & Happiness I invite you all to be a part of DBU Family, where dreams transform into reality.

Pro Vice Chancellor

Dr. Gurdip Singh Batra
Pro Vice Chancellor (RDC), DBU



At Desh Bhagat University, research and innovation form the bedrock of our academic excellence. We are dedicated to cultivating a vibrant, interdisciplinary ecosystem where curious minds are empowered to challenge conventions, push boundaries, and pioneer solutions for tomorrow's most pressing challenges.

By seamlessly bridging the gap between rigorous academic inquiry and real-world industrial application, our research infrastructure is designed not just to impart knowledge, but to actively create it. When you join DBU for admission to the Ph.D. program in 2026, you become part of a highly collaborative academic community committed to transforming visionary ideas into meaningful global impact.



Deputy Director Desk

Prof. (Dr.) Prabhjot Singh
Faculty of Nursing

It gives me immense pleasure to share that academic excellence has become a way of life at the Faculty of Nursing. Upholding our commitment to quality education and career-oriented programmes, we take pride in offering a comprehensive range of courses including Ph.D Nursing, M.Sc. Nursing, B.Sc. Nursing, Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing, GNM and ANM. The healthcare sector today offers unprecedented opportunities for nursing professionals, both in India and Abroad.

At the Faculty of Nursing, Desh Bhagat University, we are dedicated to nurturing competent, compassionate and skilled nurses who can meet global healthcare standards. Our innovative and industry-aligned programmes are thoughtfully designed to respond to the evolving demands of the healthcare sector. In today's highly competitive environment, we strive to provide a rich and holistic learning experience where knowledge, attitude, and skills are seamlessly integrated. Our goal is to transform students into confident, dedicated, and professional nurses who are valued across all healthcare settings and by society at large.

I am confident that the Faculty of Nursing will continue to set new benchmarks in nursing education and contribute significantly to the development of highly qualified healthcare professionals. I warmly welcome all aspiring students to the Faculty of Nursing and wish them great success in their academic and professional journey.

Principal Desk

Dr. Lovesampuranjot Kaur
Faculty of Nursing



Academic excellence is not merely an aspiration but a way of life at the Faculty of Nursing, Desh Bhagat University. Upholding our legacy of innovation and commitment to quality education, it gives me immense pride to introduce our comprehensive range of programmes-Ph.D. in Nursing, M.Sc. Nursing, B.Sc. Nursing, Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing, GNM, and ANM-designed to nurture competent, compassionate, and globally competitive nursing professionals.

In today's dynamic healthcare environment, nursing has emerged as a profession offering unparalleled opportunities and immense responsibility. Through its pioneering efforts, the Faculty of Nursing strives to create leaders in nursing education and practice, equipped with critical thinking, ethical values, and advanced clinical competence. Our programmes are continuously updated to reflect the rapid advancements in healthcare, ensuring that our graduates meet both national and international standards of excellence.

We are dedicated to providing a rich and holistic learning experience where knowledge, attitude, and skills converge to transform our students into passionate caregivers and confident professionals. At the Faculty of Nursing, every student is guided, inspired, and empowered to make a meaningful impact in the lives of individuals and communities.

I warmly welcome you to the Faculty of Nursing and invite you to embark on a transformative journey that will shape your future as a distinguished nursing professional. I wish you success in all your academic and professional pursuits.

INTRODUCTION

Desh Bhagat University invites applications for Ph.D. Nursing Programme 2026 to promote advanced research in nursing sciences as per INC and UGC norms.

OBJECTIVES

The doctoral prepared nurse will be able to:

- Conduct research relevant to nursing.
- Develop nursing theories and nursing science.
- Synthesize knowledge from nursing and other allied sciences to develop and test theory that affects health status.
- Demonstrate the leadership skills in nursing practice, education and research.
- Disseminate the results of theory development and research.

IMPORTANT DATES

Sr. No.	Particular	Date
1.	Availability of Prospectus on the University Website	20/04/2026
2.	Last Date to Apply for entrance fee ₹15000/- (Without late fee)	20/05/2026
3.	Last Date to Apply for entrance test with late fee of ₹5000/-	25/05/2026
4.	Availability of Admit Card	30/05/2026
5.	Entrance Exam Ph.D. Nursing 2026	13/06/2026
6.	Date of Result declaration	20/06/2026
7.	Interview	27/06/2026



Eligibility Criteria for Research Scholars

Applications are invited from eligible scholars who have obtained

- M.Phil. in Nursing or M.Sc. Nursing or a Post Graduate degree in Nursing recognized by Council with 3 years teaching or Clinical experience after M.Sc. Nursing for enrolment for Ph.D. in Nursing (part time) under Faculty of Nursing in the respective University.
- The scholars should have passed M.Sc. Nursing with a minimum of 60% marks.
- Working in Teaching Institution/Hospital/Community Centre/Nursing Department within the University jurisdiction.

Criteria for Selection

- Selection for the Ph.D. Nursing Program will be based on merit either by entrance or by M.Sc. Nursing (minimum 60% marks).
- If the University opts to conduct entrance examination, then selection for the Ph.D. Nursing Program of the candidate will be based on
- Entrance test marks obtained out of 90 marks (Minimum weightage pass marks for entrance will be 60% of 90 i.e. 54).
- 5 marks for candidates possessing M.Phil. in Nursing.
- 5 marks weightage for publications.

Reservation in Admission As per University Grants Commission (UGC) guidelines.

Duration

- Full time: Three years, maximum of 5 years - working nurse cannot be considered under full time category.
- Part time: Five years, maximum of 7 years.
- A candidate can register for Ph.D. course on part time basis.
- A candidate should complete research work and submit the thesis to the University within five years from the date of provisional registration.
- Maximum period for submission of thesis will be Seven years from the date of provisional registration subject to the approval from the Board of Research Studies/Doctoral Studies on the recommendations of the guide. There will be no provision for further extension of the period.

Under extraordinary circumstances, affecting a student warranting extension of period for submission of thesis, the student should submit an application to the Registrar (Evaluation) through the guide who will refer the same to the Board of Research Studies/Doctoral Studies for its opinion, which will be submitted to the High Power Committee. The decision of the Vice Chancellor in the matter shall be final.

APPROVALS & RECOGNITIONS



RANKED #970
GLOBAL RECOGNITION!
DEI & SI Rankings 2024!

DBU Achieves Prestigious
NAAC A+
Accreditation!

Setting Standards of
Excellence with a **CGPA**
of **3.27** on a 4-Point Scale



STRENGTHS

of the University

STUDENTS
FROM
PAN INDIA
&
ABROAD

560+
TEACHING
FACULTY

200+
LABS

RESEARCH
CENTRES

FACILITY OF
CENTRAL LIBRARY
WITH
1,50,000+
BOOKS

SEPARATE
HOSTELS
FOR
BOYS & GIRLS

CALM,
QUIET & LUSH
GREEN

CAMPUS

FULLY
WI-FI CAMPUS

1 GBPS

150+

NATIONAL/ INTERNATIONAL
MoUs
IN ACADEMIA/ INDUSTRY
AND INNOVATION

RESEARCH
PUBLICATIONS

1000+

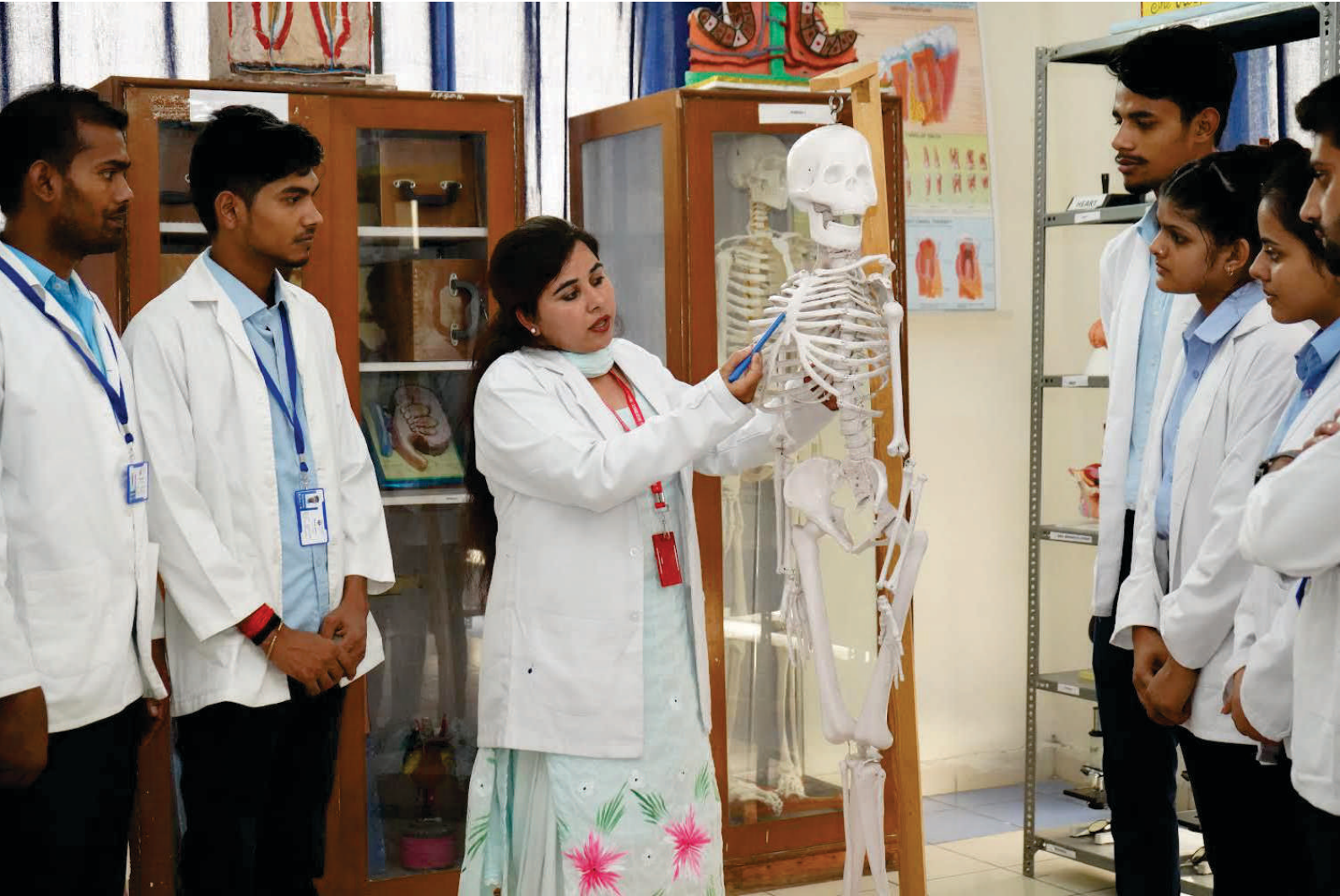
Vision

To provide excellent comprehensive training to graduate, postgraduate and Doctorate students for advancement of nursing knowledge, practice and research to make a significant contribution to the health care standards of society globally.

Mission

- To provides high quality nursing education with a broad theoretical as well as practical base and diverse clinical experience that enhances the individual to become a good nurse in professional practice.
- To train and educate nursing students so that they can make a significant contribution in all streams of nursing for promotion of health, prevention of diseases, maintenance of health and care during illness.
- To develops a research-oriented view among the nursing students in nursing education and practice.
- To develop and implement a continue education programme for different levels of nursing professionals for their professional growth and development.
- To demonstrates a commitment of Leadership and Professionalism through the delivery of socially, ethically and economically responsible health care.





FACULTY OF NURSING

About the Faculty of Nursing

Faculty of Nursing, under the aegis of Desh Bhagat University is an ocean of learning. For aspirants who want to become nurses, the School of Nursing is a top-notch educational facility. School of Nursing offers ANM, GNM, B.Sc. Nursing, P.B. B.Sc. Nursing, M.Sc. Nursing and PhD Nursing courses under the supervision of knowledgeable, Experienced faculty. The School of Nursing welcomes national and international students and trains them from different cultural backgrounds. The teaching and learning process include a variety of creative and innovative learning facts, therapeutic communication skills, knowledge of basic and advanced life support, as well as research that supports the learner's holistic growth. Every effort is made to provide the students with the most recent care trends. The college also assures placements in the top hospitals and colleges in India and abroad.

Best Features

- Modern Infrastructure & Labs
- Dedicated & Experienced Faculty
- Extensive Clinical Exposure
- Comprehensive Curriculum
- Interdisciplinary Learning
- Advanced Simulation Technology
- Strong Industry Connections
- Professional Development Focus
- Research & Innovation
- Supportive Learning Environment

Scope

- Nursing Officer
- Nurse Educator
- Clinical Instructor
- Tutor
- Demonstrator
- Lecturer
- Staff Nurse
- Clinical Nurse Practitioner

Infrastructure



Events & Activities







80+
MEGA JOB FAIRS
ORGANIZED

CORPORATE RELATION CELL

Transforming Talent Into Tomorrow's Leaders

The Corporate Relations & Placement Cell (CRC) of Desh Bhagat University stands as one of the most dynamic and industry-oriented placement divisions in the region. With a clear mission of bridging the gap between academia and industry, the CRC continuously strives to create exceptional career opportunities for students across all streams.

Every year, the cell welcomes top national and international recruiters, conducts skill development programs, organizes mega job fairs, and ensures that every deserving student steps confidently into the corporate world.

- ✓ **Strong Corporate Network**
- ✓ **Industry-Driven Training**

- ✓ **Mega Job Fairs & Exclusive Drives**
- ✓ **Dedicated Student Support**



Many More.....



Desh Bhagat University, in collaboration with the Government of Haryana, successfully hosted a Mega Job Fair at Dr. Mangal Sen Auditorium, Karnal. **Hon'ble Union Cabinet Minister Sh. Manohar Lal** graced the occasion as Chief Guest and applauded the initiative for empowering the youth through employment opportunities.

- ✓ **50+ Companies Participated**
- ✓ **4,108 Job Aspirants (Online & Offline)**
- ✓ **1,272 Shortlisted | 1,247 Selected**
- ✓ **Highest Package: Pukhraj Health Care Ltd.**

UNFORGETTABLE MOMENTS, TIMELESS STORIES



On the birth anniversary of Baba Banda Singh Bahadur, a foundation stone ceremony for the Baba Banda Singh Bahadur Memorial was held at Lohgarh, Haryana. Shri Manohar Lal Khattar graced the event as Chief Guest, where DBU Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh was also present.



Hon'ble Union Cabinet Minister of Haryana, Shri Manohar Lal Khattar Ji, honoured Dr. Zora Singh, Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, and Dr. Sandeep Singh, President of DBU, during the 75th Job Fair at Karnal.



Dr. Sandeep Singh, Dr. Zora Singh Ji, Shri Manohar Lal Khattar, S. Gurmeet Singh, Dr. Prableen Singh, and S. Amritpal Singh Dardi graced the occasion.



Congratulations to Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh and President Dr. Sandeep Singh on receiving the prestigious Jewels of Punjab Award 2024, presented by Sh. Nitin Gadkari. Their impactful contributions continue to inspire and uplift DBU.



Our President, Dr. Sandeep Singh, receives the award for "Best NAAC A+ Accredited University for Innovation & Digital Excellence." Honoured by Hon'ble Governor of Punjab & Administrator of Chandigarh, Shri Gulab Chand Kataria at Edupreneurs 2025 by The Times of India



DBU Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh and Pro-Chancellor Dr. Tajinder Kaur honoured with the Health Icon Award for their remarkable contribution to healthcare and community service.



The DBU leadership received recognition from the Hon'ble Chief Minister of J&K, Omar Abdullah.



DBU President Dr. Sandeep Singh met with UGC Chairman M. Jagadeesh to discuss academic collaborations and policy frameworks.



DBU INTRODUCES

MINOR IN ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE



**Desh Bhagat
University**
Research.
Innovation.
Entrepreneurship.

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One Degree. Infinite Intelligence.

FOR ALL DISCIPLINES

Healthcare | Dental | Nursing | Ayurveda | Pharmacy
Engineering | Management | Law | Social Sciences
Library Sciences | Education & More

WHY A MINOR IN AI?

- AI applicable across all professions
- Enhances employability & future readiness
- No change to your core degree
- Credits aligned with top national & global benchmarks

WHAT YOU GET

- AI foundations for non-tech & tech students
- Discipline-specific AI applications
- Coursera-integrated global certifications
- Hands-on projects & real-world implementation
- Credit-based Minor reflected in records*

WHO CAN APPLY?

- All UG & PG students of DBU
- Across all faculties & programmes

A MINOR THAT MAKES A MAJOR DIFFERENCE

Not just engineers. Every DBU student.



DBU Online

Upgrade your skills, anywhere anytime

UGC entitled Degree

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Recognised by
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EQUIVALENT TO
CONVENTIONAL MODE



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CENTRE

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OPTION FOR DUAL DEGREE

with one programme in
offline and one in online mode

STATE, NATIONAL,
COUNCIL & DBU
SCHOLARSHIPS
AVAILABLE

Multi Entry & Exit
NEP-2020

EDUCATION
LOAN FACILITY
ALSO AVAILABLE

shakti
upto 100% SCHOLARSHIP

Growth
Opportunity

SCHOLARSHIP

What is DBEST 2026

DBEST 2026 (Desh Bhagat Entrance & Scholarship Test) is a national-level merit examination that offers students a single platform to gain admission and earn scholarships across DBU's professional and career-focused programs.

Pharmacy

Desh Bhagat Pharmacy Entrance Test

DBEST-PHARMET

Gateway to a Profession that Heals.

Nursing

Nursing Entrance Test

DBEST-NURSET

Caring Minds. Global Careers.

Psychology & Behavioural Sciences

Psychology Comprehensive Aptitude Test

DBEST-PSYCH-CAT

Understand Minds. Transform Lives.

Law

Law Scholastic Entrance Test

DBEST-LAWSET

Think Justice. Lead Change.

Agriculture

Desh Bhagat Agriculture Common Entrance Test

DBEST-AGRICET

Gateway to a Profession that Sustains Life.

Allied Health Sciences

Allied Health Sciences Aptitude Test

DBEST-AHSAT

Skill. Service. Science.

Engineering (CSE & Allied)

Technology Scholastic Aptitude Test

DBEST-TECHSAT

Innovate. Code. Create the Future.

Management (MBA & BBA)

Management Excellence Entrance

DBEST-MANEX

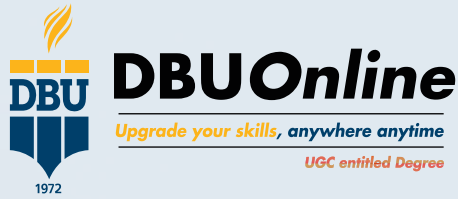
Lead with Vision. Manage the World.



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DBU AMERICAS ACHIEVES
3.11/4 NAB RATING
EQUIVALENT TO **A+**



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