

**PRESS NOTE**  
**19 May 2023**

**Clarification on CUET (UG) - 2023 Centers in Jammu and Kashmir, Jharkhand, and Manipur**

The Ministry of Education and UGC have mandated the National Testing Agency to conduct Common University Entrance Test (CUET) for admission into **Undergraduate Programmes in Central Universities under the Ministry of Education and other participating Universities / Institutions / Organizations / Autonomous Colleges** for the **Academic session 2023-2024**.

The **CUET (UG) - 2023** is being conducted by NTA in Computer Based Test (CBT) Mode for about **14.99 lacs** candidates at various Examination Centres located in **295 cities across India** and abroad, as per the following schedule:

<b>Exam/Session</b>	<b>Dates of Examination</b>
<b>CUET (UG) - 2023</b>	<b>21 May 2023 to 02 June 2023 and 05, 06 June 2023</b> <b>(07 and 08 June 2023 will be buffer days)</b>

The CUET (UG) – 2023 has been scheduled for **14, 99, 778** (Fourteen Lacs, ninety-nine thousand, seven hundred and seventy-eight) candidates who have opted for **64,35,050 Test Papers**. These candidates have applied for **48,779** unique combinations of subjects across **250** Central, State, and other participating universities / Institutions / Organizations for the **Academic session 2023-2024**.

**City Intimation slips** for the examination scheduled on **21, 22, 23, and 24 May 2023** for **808441** candidates and **25, 26, 27, and 28 May 2023** for **771095** candidates were hosted on the website <https://cuet.samarth.ac.in/> on **14 May 2023**, and **16 May 2023** respectively. The total count for these 08 days (**21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28 May 2023**) is **1579536**.

City Intimation Slip displays the **date, shift of the examination, subjects/Test Papers, and medium** chosen during the online Application Form. Some candidates may have chosen subjects other than those displayed on the City Intimation Slip; these subjects will be issued subsequently.

**City Intimation Slip for the candidates whose examinations are scheduled on other dates will also be released shortly.**

Admit Cards for the candidates whose examinations are scheduled on **21, 22, 23, and 24 May 2023**, have been released on **19 May 2023**. NTA will conduct the test mentioned above in **three slots** per day.

Regarding Jammu and Kashmir, a total of **87309 (Eighty-seven thousand three hundred nine)** unique candidates have been registered from the UT of Jammu and Kashmir.

For 21, 22, 23, and 24 May 2023, a total of **18012** candidates will be appearing in **12** Centers in Jammu and Kashmir, i.e., 03 in Jammu, 05 in Srinagar, 02 in Baramulla, 01 each in Samba and Pulwama.

For 25, 26, 27, and 28 May 2023, a total of **44425** candidates will be appearing in **15 Centres** created in Jammu and Kashmir. Some candidates have been moved out of the State. However, being sensitive to the needs of candidates and to ease the access of the students of Jammu and Kashmir, the NTA is exploring the possibility of creating a temporary Centre in Srinagar. This will enable NTA to bring back most of the candidates to the State. However, the number of candidates being extremely large, and some candidates may still have to take the CUET (UG) outside the State.

Concerning about Jharkhand, a total of 178630 (**One lakh seventy-eight thousand six hundred thirty**) unique candidates have been registered from **the Jharkhand state**.

For 21, 22, 23, and 24 May 2023, a total of **52793** candidates will be appearing in **19 Centers** in Jharkhand, which is again a phenomenal increase.

For 25, 26, 27, and 28 May 2023, a total of **77797** candidates will be appearing in **14 Centres** in Jharkhand.

Though all measures have been taken for allotting the candidates to their preferred cities, there are some candidates who have been allotted to a city in a neighbouring state. However, we have announced the city information slip in advance to give them time for making travel arrangements.

As far as **Manipur** is concerned, there are about **3697** candidates who earlier opted to appear in Manipur for the CUET (UG) – 2023 examination. NTA has carefully reviewed the law-and-order situation in consultation with the State Administration and contacted these candidates by telephone for asking their preferred city for the said examination. Some candidates who were not in Manipur or wanted to take the examination in another State/City are being allocated to other cities i.e., Delhi, Guwahati, etc. The option for a change of Centre for candidates from Manipur is still available.

Moreover, after contacting the State administration, the NTA has been advised to keep all examinations in the State of Manipur from **29 May 2023 onwards**. Those candidates who may have got the Admit Card for 21 to 24 May 2023 or the City Intimation Slip for CUET (UG) – 2023 to be held between 25 to 28 May 2023 are required to contact NTA on **011 - 40759000 / 011 - 69227700** or e-mail at [cuet-ug@nta.ac.in](mailto:cuet-ug@nta.ac.in) in case they want to change their City from Delhi, Guwahati, etc. to Imphal.

In case any candidate faces difficulty in downloading/checking the Examination City Intimation Slip / Admit Card for **CUET (UG) – 2023**, he/she may contact **011 - 40759000 / 011 - 69227700** or e-mail at [cuet-ug@nta.ac.in](mailto:cuet-ug@nta.ac.in)

Candidates are also advised to regularly visit NTA website(s) [www.nta.ac.in](http://www.nta.ac.in) and <https://cuet.samarth.ac.in/> for the latest updates regarding the examination.