BHATTADEV UNIVERSITY

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ADMISSION BROCHURE

Undergraduate and Postgraduate Programmes SESSION 2021-22

The Vice-Chancellor Invites You to B U



Educated in Cotton College, Gauhati University and IISc Bangalore, Prof. Birinchi K. Das had been serving as a Professor of Chemistry at Gauhati University for over twelve years prior tohis joining Bhattadev University as its first Vice-Chancellor.

Through his extensive travelling and experience of working at several reputed institutes and universities in India, the USA and the UK Prof. Das became acquainted well with modern education and research systems of the world. As an ardent believer of work done with honesty and sincerity, he professes the necessity of building up expertise step by step, through hard labour, if necessary, with a view to achieving personal success as well as institutional eminence.

Most universities in countries other than India and some universities in India offer undergraduate (UG) programmes of study alongside postgraduate (PG) and doctoral programmes. Having been established in 2019 by upgrading the well-known Bajali College of Pathsala, Bhattadev University is a unique state university that will run its teaching programmes with special emphasis on UG education. It is to be hoped that as a University, we shall be able to prepare well-equipped bachelor's degree holders who are suitable for employment in the Governmentas well as private sectors.

The university will offer the following study programmes in the academic session 2021-2022.

- (i) **Bachelor of Arts** with Honours B.A. (Honours) in Assamese, Economics, Education, English, Geography, History, Mass Communication and Journalism, Philosophy, Political Science, and Sanskrit
- (ii) **Bachelor of Science** with Honours B.Sc. (Honours) in Botany, Chemistry, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Statistics, and Zoology
- (iii) Master of Arts M.A. in Assamese
- (iv) Master of Science M.Sc. in Geography, Mathematics, Physics and Zoology
- (v) **Doctor of Philosophy** (Ph.D.) in Assamese, Chemistry, Geography, Mathematics, Physics and Zoology

The Ph.D. programmes in Assamese, Chemistry, Geography, Mathematics, Physics and Zoology were introduced in the year 2020 with a view to starting research activities in the university.

I take this opportunity to invite you to join forces with us as the most important component in our efforts to grow up and shine as a university. We on our part promise to work continuously towards inducting excellent teachers and researchers and also to build up a modern and effective teaching-learning environment so as to enable you to be what you want to be.

Prof. Birinchi Kumar Das

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THE UNIVERSITY AT A GLANCE

Bhattadev University is one of the three new universities that were established in 2019 by the Government of Assam by upgrading three well-established colleges of Assam. Bajali College, a NAAC 'A' Grade college founded on 16 August 1955 at Pathsala town in the present-day Bajali district of Assam, formally started functioning as Bhattadev University with effect from 24 June 2019, the date on which Prof. Birinchi Kumar Das assumed his office as the first Vice-Chancellor of the University.

It is the realization of a long cherished dream of the people of greater Bajali to have a university in Bajali. Aptly enough, the new university has been named after an illustrious son of Assam and a son of the soil from the greater Bajali region, Vaikunthanaath Bhagavat Bhattacharya who is acknowledged as the father of Assamese prose. Bhattadev's legendary rendition in religious congregations and command over the Sanskrit *Shrimadbhagavatam* (translated by him into Assamese prose as *Katha Bhagavat*), the essential *shastra* forming the fulcrum of Assamese *Vaishnava Dharma* revolving around *Krishna charitra*, earned him the title of Bhagavat Bhattacharya, shortened to **Bhattadev** by his followers.

The UGC has recognized **Bhattadev University** as an institution "empowered to award degrees as specified by the UGC under section 22 of the UGC Act 1956 by conducting courses through its own departments, its constituent colleges and/or through its affiliated colleges in regular mode with the approval of concerned statutory bodies/councils" vide its letter F.No. 9-12/2019 (CPP-I/PU) dated 25 September 2019.

In its journey to establish itself as a nationally recognized and modern university, Bhattadev University has taken a series of initiatives to improve its physical infrastructure and also to induct teachers of highest possible quality and best possible background.

In addition to seventeen B.A. and B.Sc. Honours programmes in important arts and science disciplines, the university currently offers five postgraduate (M.A. and M.Sc.) programmes in Assamese, Geography, Mathematics, Physics and Zoology. In its second year in existence the university also launched six Ph.D. programmes in Assamese, Chemistry, Geography, Mathematics, Physics and Zoology. In addition, the University, under the dynamic leadership of Prof. Birinchi Kr. Das, is striving hard to establish itself as a centre of excellence and has already taken many steps in many directions to emulate the achievements and contributions of reputed institutions like Gauhati University, Tezpur University, IIT Guwahati and others from within and outside the country.

INFRASTRUCTURE & AMENITIES

Bhattadev University located in the campus of erstwhile Bajali College at Pathsala town of Bajali, Assam spreading over 16 acres of land. The green campus also has space for future expansion.

Physical Facilities:

The Institution has adequate infrastructure facilities for curricular and extracurricular programmes. The infrastructure is used to the maximum extent, and all students have easy access to the existing learning resources. Its management policy is to modernize, maintain and upkeep infrastructural facilities according to emerging needs of teaching and learning. There are Two ArtsBuildings, One three-storeyed Science Building, One three-storeyed New Academic Building, One Library cum Information Technology Centre Building, One Auditorium, One Non-Resident Students' Centre, two Girls' Hostels, etc. There are also designated spaces for car & bike parking, bicycle-sheds, etc.

Being a new University, Bhattadev University has plans to strengthen and augment its present infrastructure in the existing campus and also to expand into a new second campus. With Government financial assistance a few construction and renovation projects namely the Administration Block, a modernized classroom complex. More renovation work is going on to prepare modernized classrooms, laboratories and instruments rooms for the students. Efforts are being taken to construct a recording studio for use by the students of the MCJ Department and also to facilitate the production lectures for digital contents. The Government of Assam has recently allocated a sum of Rs. 50 crore to the university for infrastructure development and this should bring in a sea change to the overall infrastructure of the university.

- **1. Auditorium:** The University has one Auditorium with a seating capacity of 500, and there are provisions of required furniture and sound system, etc.
- **2. Digital Conference Hall**: There are two well-equipped Air-Conditioned Conference Halls having a combined seating capacity of about 300.
- **3.** Common Rooms for Students: There is a Non-Resident Students' Home in the University premises with separate rooms for Boys and Girls. The facilities for the common rooms are being upgraded. In addition to this, there are different toilet units available for girls and boys on the campus including the Girls' Toilet block.
- **4. Staff Room for Teachers:** There is a well-furnished Teachers' Common Room which also serves as a Meeting Room from time to time.
- **5. Power Supply:** To back up the APDCL supply two diesel generators are installed to ensure uninterrupted power supply in the campus including hostels.
- **6. Solar Power Plant:** Under Integrated Power Development Scheme(IPDS) scheme of the Government APDCL has recently set up a roof-top solar power plant with a production capacity of 330 kW. It became operational from 18-05-2020.
- **7. Drinking-Water facilities**: The university has its own water treatment plant and also a water supply system. Purified drinking water facilities are available throughout the campus. Further, to ensure compliance with ongoing COVID-19 guidelines handwashing facilities have been made available at several places in the campus.
- **8. Rain Water Harvesting:** The University has developed an efficient mechanism for rainwater harvesting and facilities of rainwater harvesting are available on the university premises.
- **9. Facilities of Games & Sports:** The University has its infrastructure for Games and Sports such as playground with a football field, volleyball court, tennis court & a gymnasium. By utilizing these facilities, students ensure participation at District, University and State Level Competitions.

Academic Facilities:

The University has the following facilities to meet emerging needs of teaching and learning.

- **1. Classrooms:** The institution has sixty (60) spacious, well-ventilated classrooms and tutorial spaces. All classrooms have adequate seating and other teaching-learning facilities.
- **2. Smart Classrooms**: There are six smart classrooms equipped with modern teaching-learning tools like whiteboards, green boards, interactive boards, LCD projectors, podiums etc.
- **3. Laboratories:** There are 32 well-equipped laboratories for UG & PG classes. An Air-Conditioned Centralized Computer Lab and a newly created Computer Laboratory in the Mathematics Department for UG and PG classes are also available. In the recent past the University has procured scientific equipment and computers worth over Rs. 1 crore to raise its experimental facilities via effective utilization of Government fund.
- **4. Bio-Tech Hub**: There is an Institutional Bio-Tech Hub sponsored by DBT, Government of India. Efforts are on to add more instruments and other facilities into it so that students are able to access modern facilities to be required for UG and PG dissertation works.
- **5. Central Library:** The Institution has a well-furnished and fully automated Central Library. The Library is automated with KOHA software. More than 36,000 books and a good number of journals, newspapers and periodicals, e-books etc. are available in the Library. The Library has adequate space for internet browsing, photocopying for students and faculties. All the staff and students have access to INFLIBNET resources. Besides, an extensive collection of digital texts has been made available to the students in the University Library from which students can copy their required study materials. Utilizing Government fund, the university has substantially augmented library resources via inclusion of text and reference books, career guidance and personality development books, magazines and journals, EBSCO e-Book and e-Journal databases and more.

In addition to the central Library, all departments have Departmental Seminar Libraries too.

- **6. IT infrastructure:** The institution has more than 120 computers with UPS power backup. All the departments have been provided with computers and laser printers. ICT tools are used for teaching-learning. LAN facility is available in the University Office and Central Library. Internet connectivity is available in all departments and the Central Library and Computer Lab through Wi-Fi. Wi-Fi facility is also available for the students in the Central Library.
- **7. Museums:** There are two museums having rare collections in the departments of Zoology and Geography respectively.
- **8. Botanical Garden:** The University has a small Botanical Garden with a greenhouse. A Floriculture Garden and a Pisciculture Pond are there too on the campus.
- **9.** University Website: Bhattadev University website www.bhattadevuniversity.ac.in has been in existence for about one and half year and efforts are being made to make it an interactive and useful one providing information learning resources in English and Assamese to students as well as teachers.
- 10. University Press: Bhattadev University also has a printing press of its own.
- 11.Xerox Facility- Photocopiers are available in the offices and Library of the University.

Support Services:

The University has the following support services and facilities for students, and we are looking forward to adding more soon.

- 1. **Hostel Facilities**: The University has two (02) hostels for girl students with a total accommodation capacity of about 100.
- 2. NCC, NSS wings: The University has two NCC wings of Boys and Girls and one NSS Unit.
- **3. Canteen:** Canteen facility is available on the campus where students and teachers can have hygienic food at reasonable rates.
- **4. Security:** The entire university campus is under 24×7 CCTV surveillance. Fire safety equipments are also available. Fire alarm systems with extinguishers are installed in the buildings. Private Security persons are engaged to ensure the safety and security of the campus.

Some other **support services** for students are Grievance Redressal Cell, Anti-Ragging Cell, Information-cum-Career Guidance Cell, Placement Cell, RTI Cell, Government Scholarships, Post Office, a basic Health Care Centre, and Mentor & Mentee system etc.

LISTS OF PROGRAMMES OFFERED

Bhattadev University will offer the following study programmes under the UGC's **Choice Based Credit System** (CBCS) in the FIRST SEMESTER of each programme, with newly developed syllabi based on the suggested UGC templates as well as perceptions of what should be studied to master a given subject. The eligibility criteria for admission into the programmes are also given in the list of programmes.

UNDERGRADUATE HONOURS PROGRAMMES

Sl. No.	Programmes Offered	Duration	Eligibility Criteria for Admission
1	B.A. in Assamese		General Eligibility Criteria
2	B.A. in Economics		Pass in Higher Secondary
3	B. A. in Education		(10 + 2) or equivalent examination with 60%
4	B.A. in English		marks and a minimum of
5	B.A. in Geography		60% marks in the subject
6	B.A. in History		opted for studying with Honours provided that the
7	B.A. in Political Science		candidate has secured pass
8	B.A. in Philosophy		marks in each subject. • The admissions will be
9	B.A. in Sanskrit	6 semesters	given strictly on the basis
10	B.A. in Mass Communication and Journalism§	(3 years)	of merit with 50% wightage to UG Entrance Test and 50% weightage to marks obtained in Higher Secondary Final
11	B.Sc. in Botany*		
12	B.Sc. in Chemistry**	examination and follow	examination and following
13	B.Sc. in Geography		National / State-level reservation policy.
14	B.Sc. in Mathematics		reservation poney.
15	B.Sc. in Physics***		
16	B.Sc. in Statistics***		
17	B.Sc. in Zoology*		

 $^{^{\}S}$ Fully self-financing programme for which Government concurrence has been applied for.

Notes:

- 1. The subject/discipline combination will be allotted to students by the Admission Committee as per CBCS regulations issued UGC. For details of course curriculum candidates are requested to visit the webpages of the corresponding department.
- 2. The university is putting in efforts to implement feasible provisions of National Education Policy

^{*}A student seeking to study Botany or Zoology with Honours must have passed in Chemistry in the qualifying examination with a minimum of 60% marks.

^{**}A student seeking to study Chemistry with Honours must have studied Biology and Mathematics at the H.S. level and must have passed with a minimum of 60% marks in any one of these subjects in the qualifying examination.

^{***}A student seeking to study Physics or Statistics with Honours must have passed in Mathematics with a minimum of 60% marks in the qualifying examination.

2020 (NEP-2020) from the current academic session. This will depend on Government directives and decisions taken thereon by the Academic Council of the University.

3. The university is planning to introduce teaching of the Bodo language and a course on NCC as per syllabus suggested for the purpose by UGC.

POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES (SELF-FINANCING $^{\neq}$)

Sl. No.	Programmes offered	Duration	Eligibility & Admission Criteria
1	M.A. in Assamese		Eligibility Criteria: Bachelor's degree with Honours /
2	M.Sc. in Geography	4 semesters (2 years)	Major in the corresponding discipline from a recognised university with at least 50% marks in the relevant subject provided that the candidate has passed in each paper/course separately. Admission Criteria:
3	M.Sc. in Mathematics		
4	M.Sc. in Physics*		
5	M.Sc. in Zoology**		Admissions will be based on marks secured in the Honours/Major subject.

[‡] Although Bhattadev University is a public state university, mostly funded by the Government of Assam, an adequate number of teaching posts for PG teaching are yet to be sanctioned by the Government. In view of this, the university is required to hire experienced visiting teachers and engage teaching assistants for the effective teaching in the PG programmes. The self-financing mode is likely to change to the regular mode (like Gauhati or Dibrugarh University) following the appointment of an adequate number of teachers in the concerned departments.

Note: For details of course curriculum candidates may visit the webpages of the corresponding department.

SEAT CAPACITIES (PROGRAMME & DISCIPLINE-WISE)

Disciplines	Undergraduate (UG)* (Honours)	Postgraduate (PG)
Assamese	80	35
Botany	20	-
Chemistry	40	-
Economics	45	-
Education	20	-
English	40	-
Geography	45 (B.A., 35; B.Sc., 10)	25
History	45	-
Mathematics	60	30

^{*} The applicants must have studied Mathematics at the B.Sc. level.

^{**} The applicants must have studied Botany and Chemistry at the B.Sc. level.

Mass Communication & Journalism	30	-
Philosophy	75	-
Physics	40	20
Political Science	80	-
Sanskrit	50	-
Statistics	20	-
Zoology	55	20
Total:	745	130

^{*} Maximum seat capacities for UG-level Generic Elective courses in the subjects mentioned on the left column will be 100 except in the case of MCJ where seat capacitiy will be 20.

SUBJECT CODES - UG PROGRAMMES

SUBJECTS	CODES
Assamese	ASM
Economics	ECO
Education	EDU
English	ENG
History	HIS
Mass Communication & Journalism	MCJ
Philosophy	PHI
Political science	POL
Sanskrit	SKT
Botany	ВОТ
Chemistry	CHE
Geography	GGY
Mathematics	MAT
Physics	PHY
Statistics	STA
Zoology	ZOO
Environmental Studies	ENV

i) Compulsory Courses:

Programmes	Subject	Code
B.A.	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (English or MIL Communication)	AECC
B.Sc.	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (English Communication)	AECC

ii) Elective Courses: Generic Electives (GE)

Elective courses can determine how a student can become what he/she wants to be in future. Careful choice of a GE (also variously called the *Pass* or the *Minor* – as opposed to *Major*) can strengthen his/her aims/efforts to master/apply knowledge of the Honours subject. To be able to study a range of seemingly unconnected subjects is a characteristic feature of CBCS. A student can opt for one GE course against his/her chosen Honours subject from the following list.

(a) **B.A. Programmes:**

Honours Subjects (HC)	Generic Elective Subjects* (HG) (Any One Subject)
Assamese	SKT/MCJ/POL/HIS
Economics	POL/GGY/MAT/STA/EDU
Education	PHI/POL/HIS/STA
English	EDU/HIS/MCJ/ASM
Geography	ECO/HIS/STA
History	EDU/POL/PHI
Mass Communication & Journalism	ASM/ENG/HIS
Philosophy	SKT/EDU/POL/HIS
Political science	HIS/EDU/ECO/PHI
Sanskrit	ASM/PHI/ENG/HIS

^{*}The actual course name will be different from the subject name. Further, as indicated above, other subjects/courses may be introduced for the benefit of the students during the course of their study.

(b) **B.Sc. Programmes:**

Honours Subject (HC)	Generic Elective Subjects* (HG) (Any One Subject)
Botany	ZOO/CHE/ECO
Chemistry	MAT/PHY/ECO
Geography	STA/MCJ/ECO
Mathematics	PHY/CHE/STA/ECO
Physics	MAT/CHE/PHI
Statistics	MAT/ECO/MCJ
Zoology	BOT/CHE/ECO

^{*}The actual course name will be different from the subject name. Further, as indicated above, other subjects/courses may be introduced for the benefit of the students during the course of their study and new course combinations may be allowed in line with the flexibility and student-centric feature of NEP-2020.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE & COUNSELLING

- 1) Those students who desire to take admission in Bhattadev University must visit the university website www.bhattadevuniversity.ac.in and they should download this Brochure. The various programmes offered by the University will be mentioned there. The website will have a link for admission. The admission process will remain active until the stated deadline.
- 2) Candidates who want to take admission in any of the programmes should click the 'Admission' link of the website
- 3) After clicking the 'Admission' link, the candidate will be prompted to login. If the candidate is already registered, he/she can directly login. Otherwise he/she should go for new registration. A candidate has to register by giving **Mobile No.**, **e-mail ID** and the **Unique ID** to be obtained by visiting the https://directorateofhighereducation.assam.gov.in website of DHE, Assam. An OTPwill be automatically generated and will be sent to the registered mobile number. Once the OTP is validated, a User ID and Password will be sent through SMS. Then a candidate can login using User ID and password. He/she can change the password at any time.
- 4) First the candidate will get instruction for filling up the application form. Now candidate has to click the 'GO' button at the bottom of the instruction sheet.
- 5) The candidate will then get the application dashboard where he/she can select the programme category (BA, BSc, PG, etc. to which admission is desired.
- 6) Now the candidate has to click 'Apply Now' button for the chosen programme.

- 7) In the application form, a candidate will be required to fill up the following: (a) Personal details, (b) Address, (c) Educational details and (d) Upload Document
- 8) On the 'Upload Document' Tab the candidates will upload documents such as recent passport size photograph, signature, qualifying examination marks-sheet and certificate, proof of age document, caste certificate, income certificate, Bank Account Number with IFSC Code, first page of passbook, NCC or NSS certificate, certificate for other reservation categories, Gap Certificate etc.
- 9) Once the complete form is filled up and required documents are uploaded he/she will have to click 'Save and Continue' button. Then filled up form will be displayed. There will be a declaration form which needs to be 'checked' by the applicant. Once done 'Final Submit' button will be activated and e/she has to 'Click' there. The displayed acknowledgement No. should be noted down. There will also be a link to download the submitted application.
- 10) Merit lists for the programmes will be prepared by giving 50% weightage to UG Entrance Test (UGET) and 50% weightage to the marks obtained in Higher Secondary Final examination after considering reservation criteria as per Assam Government rules and regulations.
- 11) The provisional list of selected candidates, who are eligible for admission, will be displayed in the University Website. A candidate can login to view his status.
- 12) The selected candidates will be informed about document verification requirements through the website.
- 13) It is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure the accuracy of data provided and the documents uploaded. In case of inconsistencies and mismatches between documents uploaded and the originals the candidature may be rejected.
- 14) After document verification, a candidate has to login and 'Accept' the admission offer for only one programme. Once a candidate accepts a programme the University will 'Approve' the same. Once approved, the admission process is complete following the payment of the fees, if required.
- 15) If a student does not accept the admission offer within a specified date and time, his/her candidature will be rejected.
- 16) If a student has applied for two programmes and is selected in all the programmes opted for, he/she has the option of choosing any one. Once a programme is selected his seat in the other program will be automatically vacated and will be allotted to next candidate in order of merit.

RESERVATION OF SEATS IN UG & PG PROGRAMMES

- (i) As per Government of Assam rules, the benefit of reservation shall be given only to those sections which are listed in the central list published by the Government of Assam.
- (ii) Candidates belonging to OBC & MOBC, SC, ST (Plains & Hills), UR-Economically Weaker Section (UR- EWS) and Person With Disability (PWD) and Extracurricular Activities (EC) categories will be given the benefit of reservation as per the Assam Government Reservation Policy, i.e., OBC & MOBC 15%, SC-7%, ST (Plains)-10%, ST (Hills)-5%, UR-EWS-10%, (PWD)-3%, EC-2% seats will be reserved on horizontal basis, subject to the condition that the candidate fulfills the other minimum eligibility requirements. Submission of a certificate to this effect issued by a competent Authority/ Board (*see below*) shall be mandatory at the time of counseling.

For the purpose of reservation under UR-EWS category, a person belonging to the Economically Weaker Section whose family income is below Rs. 8 Lakh in a financial year and his/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets:

- (a) 5 acres of agricultural land and above.
- (b) Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above.
- (c) Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities.
- (d) Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
- (iii) In case the reserved seats remain vacant even after the second counseling, the seats reserved for SC/ST may be interchanged and would be filled in the last counseling. If the seats belonging to SC/ST category candidates remain vacant and the lists of both the SC/ST categories are exhausted on the last date of counseling, the remaining vacant seats shall be filled by unreserved category (UR) candidates after the notified duration of the last counseling elapses.
- (iv) Consideration of meritorious candidates of reserved categories as unreserved candidates: If the merit of a reserved category candidate is more than or equal to the merit of the last admitted general candidate, the reserved category candidate will be treated as unreserved. Provided further that, if a meritorious reserved category candidate is admitted by relaxing the general qualifying standards (minimum eligibility requirement and/or age) which he/she would not have got by remaining under the unreserved category, then his/her admission shall be adjusted against the concerned reserved category quota and the consequential vacancy created in the unreserved category shall be filled up by a general category candidate in order ofmerit.

Certificates Required for Reserved Categories:

OBC & MOBC/SC/ST: Each OBC & MOBC/SC/ST candidate has to submit a scanned copy of the original caste certificate from competent authorities. The following are empowered to issue the certificate:

(i) District Magistrate / Additional District Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner / Addl. Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector / First Class Stipendiary Magistrate / City Magistrate / Sub-Divisional Magistrate / Taluka Magistrate / Executive Magistrate / Extra Assistant Commissioner,

or

(ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/Addl. Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate,

or

(iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar,

or

(iv) Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family resides,

or

(v) Administrator / Secretary to the Administrator / Development Officer (Lakshadweep Islands).

Candidates must note that Certificate from any other person/authority shall not be accepted in any case. If the candidate claims to belong to SC or ST category, his/her caste/tribe must be listed in the appropriate Government of India/Assam schedule. The CasteCertificate should clearly state: (a) Name of his/her caste/tribe (b) whether he/she belongs to SC or ST (c) District and the State or Union Territory of his/her usual place of residence and

(d) the appropriate Govt. of India schedule under which his/her caste/ tribe is approved asSC or ST.

Person with Disability (PWD): Visually Impaired and/ or Hearing Impaired and / or Orthopedically Handicapped (on horizontal reservation basis) candidates, have to submit a self-attested copy of Disability Certificate issued by the District Chief Medical Officer/Medical Board. The disability benefits will be given to those candidates only who have at least 40% physical impairments. The percentage of disability should be mentioned in the certificate. The physical disability may be verified by a medical practitioner when the same will be possible.

UR-Economically Weaker Section (UR-EWS): The benefit of reservation under EWS can be availed upon production of an Income and Asset Certificate issued by a Competent Authority. The Income and Asset Certificate issued by any one of the following authorities in the prescribed format as given in Annexure-VII shall only be accepted as proof of the candidate's claim as belonging to EWS.

- (i) District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/ Additional' Deputy Commissioner/ 1st Class Stipendary Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner
- (ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate
- (iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and
- (iv) Sub-Divisional Officer or the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.

Degree	Subjects	Fee to be paid at the time of admission (Rupees)
B.A. (Honours)	Assamese, Economics, Education, English, Geography, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Sanskrit	As per Government order
B.A. (Honours)	Mass Communication & Journalism	12,000/- per year (fees to be waived by the Government not included)
B.Sc. (Honours)	Botany, Chemistry, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Statistics, Zoology	As per Government order
M.A.	Assamese	24,000/- per year
M.Sc.	Geography	34,000/- per year
M.Sc.	Mathematics	25,000/- per year
M.Sc.	Physics, Zoology	38,000/- per year

Note: The all-inclusive fees, where applicable, are to be paid ONLINE at the time of admission. Payment instructions are available in the link to admission in the website.

Message from the Chancellor, Bhattadev University



Prof. Jagdish Mukhi Honourable Governor of Assam

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