



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH
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ASSISTANT PROFESSOR EXAMINATION-2026

The **Arunachal Pradesh Public Service Commission** invites online application from the citizens of India for admission to **Assistant Professor Examination-2026** for filling up of **145 (One Hundred Forty Five)** posts of Assistant Professors in various disciplines for Government Colleges under the Department of Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh in the Pay Matrix Level-10 (Rs. 57,700-1,82,400/-) Group-“A” Gazetted (Non-Ministerial) as admissible under rule. The subject wise details of vacancy are as below: -

Sl. No.	Subject	Un-reserved	Reserved for APST candidate	Total Posts	Reserved for Persons with Benchmark Disability
1.	English	04	14	18	Out of these 18 posts, 1 post is reserved for PwBD in the category of Locomotor Disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims & muscular dystrophy.
2.	Hindi	03	11	14	Out of these 14 posts, 1 post is reserved for PwBD in the category of Locomotor Disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims & muscular dystrophy.
3.	History	04	17	21	NIL
4.	Political Science	04	14	18	Out of these 18 posts, 1 post is reserved for PwBD in the category of Locomotor Disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims & muscular dystrophy.

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5.	Economics	03	10	13	Out of these 13 posts, 1 post is reserved for PwBD in the category of Locomotor Disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims & muscular dystrophy.
6.	Geography	03	10	13	NIL
7.	Education	02	07	09	Out of these 9 posts, 1 post is reserved for PwBD in the category of Locomotor Disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims & muscular dystrophy.
8.	Commerce	01	05	06	Out of these 6 posts, 1 post is reserved for PwBD in the category of Locomotor Disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims & muscular dystrophy.
9.	Mathematics	01	05	06	NIL
10.	Zoology	01	05	06	NIL
11.	Botany	01	04	05	NIL
12.	Physics	01	04	05	NIL
13.	Chemistry	01	06	07	Out of these 7 posts, 1 post is reserved for PwBD in the category of Locomotor Disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims & muscular dystrophy.
14.	Sociology	00	02	02	NIL
15.	Anthropology	00	02	02	NIL
GRAND TOTAL				145 posts	

Note: The number of vacancies and the reservation for APST and PwBD candidates mentioned above are as per "Requisition Proforma" submitted by the Indenting /Requisitioning departments of Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.

(A) HOW TO APPLY

- (1) Before filling the Online Application Form for the post advertised, a candidate must mandatorily register for **ONE TIME REGISTRATION (OTR)**.
- (2) Those who have already registered in OTR need not register again and they can directly login to fill up online form using the same user ID and password.
- (3) Candidates are required to apply online on <https://appsc.gov.in> . Detailed instructions for One Time Registration (OTR) and Online Application are available on the APPSC website (<https://appsc.gov.in>).
- (4) Applicants in Government Service have to upload a copy of intimation submitted to their respective Heads of Department or NOC issued by the department.
- (5) The applicants are advised to submit only single application, however, if due to any unavoidable situation, he/she submits another/multiple applications, the application with the highest Registration ID (RID) will be accepted by the Commission. Therefore, the highest RID application should be complete in all respects. The fee paid against one RID shall not be adjusted against any other RID.
- (6) The online application submission link shall be active **from 1700 hours on 23rd January, 2026** till last date of submission i.e. **before 1100 hours on 23rd February, 2026** on the APPSC website.
- (7) The candidates should carefully fill the requisite details in the online application form. The application form once submitted within the last date of submission should be complete in all respects and no additional time shall be provided to the candidate to further change or upload additional information. The candidates are requested to minutely go through the DISCLAIMER provided in the online application form before final submission of form. Any information found to be wrong at any stage of examination may lead to cancellation of candidature for **Assistant Professor Examination-2026**.

(B) EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION/ELIGIBILITY

For Direct Recruitment of Assistant Professor, as per UGC Regulations 2018, Sub-clause 4.0 and 4.1 (A or B):

- A.** (i) Master's degree with 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale wherever the grading system is followed) in a concerned/relevant/allied subject from an Indian University, or an equivalent degree from an accredited Foreign University.

However, there is a relaxation of 5% marks i.e. from 55% to 50% marks at Master's as well as Bachelor's Degree level for ST/SC candidates.

(ii) Besides fulfilling the above qualifications, the candidate must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC or CSIR, or a similar test accredited by UGC like SLET/SET or who are or have been awarded a Ph.D. Degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standard and Procedure for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009 or 2016 and their amendments from time to time as the case may be exempted from NET/SLET/SET, Provided, the candidates registered for Ph.D. programme prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances/Bye laws/Regulations of the Institutions awarding the degree and such Regulations of the Institutions awarding the degree and such Ph.D. Candidates shall be exempted from the requirement of NET/SLET/SET for recruitment and appointment of Assistant Professor or equivalent position in Universities/Colleges/Institutions subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:-

- (a) The Ph.D. Degree of the candidate has been awarded in the regular mode.
- (b) The Ph.D. thesis have been evaluated by at least two external examiners.
- (c) An open Ph.D. viva-voce of the candidate has been conducted.
- (d) The candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work, out of which at least one is a referred journal.
- (e) The candidate has presented at least two papers based on his/her Ph.D. work in conference/seminars/sponsored/funded/supported by the UGC/ICSSR/CSIR or any similar agency.

The fulfillment of these conditions is to be certified by the Registrar or the Dean (Academic Affairs) of the University concerned.

NOTE: NET/SLET/SET shall also not be required for such Masters Programme in disciplines for which NET/SLET/SET is not conducted by the UGC, CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC, like SLET/SET

OR

B. The Ph.D. Degree has been obtained from a Foreign University/Institutions with a ranking among top 500 in the World University Ranking (at any time) by any one of the following:

- (a) Quacquarelli Symonds (QS)
- (b) The Times Higher Education (THE) or
- (c) The Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) of the Shanghai Jiao Tong University (Shanghai)

NOTE: The Academic Score as specified in Appendix-II (Table 3B) for College, shall be considered for short-listing of the candidates for interview only and the selections shall be based only on the performance in interview.

(iii) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-clause 4.1 of UGC Regulations-2018 (A or B above) candidate who are or have been awarded a Ph.D. Degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission Minimum Standards and procedure for award of Ph.D. Regulations, 2009 shall be exempted from the requirement of the minimum eligibility condition of NET/SLET/SET for recruitment and appointment of the Assistant Professor or equivalent position in University/College/Institutions.

(iv) NET/SLET/SET shall also not be required for Master Programme in disciplines for which NET/SLET/SET is not conducted.

NOTE: Candidate must have cleared NET, SLET/SET or must have been awarded Ph. D Degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D Degree) Regulations, 2009 or 2016 and their amendments. The candidates registered for Ph. D programme prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances/Bye-Laws/Regulations of the Institutions awarding the degree.

(C) AGE LIMIT

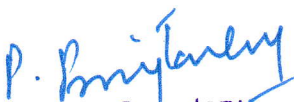
- (1) Up to 30 years of age (35 years for ST/SC candidates with 5 years of relaxation). However, in case of the candidates belonging to APST, entry age shall be 37 years with a further relaxation of 5 (five) years (Upper- age limit is in accordance with “*Assistant Professor for Government Colleges of Arunachal Pradesh*” Group ‘A’ Gezzetted (Non-Ministerial) Recruitment Rules 2024”).
- (2) Age concession in respect of candidates belonging to PwBD Category and regular Government servant of Government of Arunachal Pradesh will be as per Government rules and regulation in force from time to time.

(D) METHOD OF SELECTION

- (1) The selection will be made through Viva-voce/Interview only. The total marks of Interview shall be 100 marks.
- (2) The Commission shall constitute a Screening Committee in order to shortlist candidates eligible for interview as specified in **Appendix-II (Table 3 B), University Grants Commission Regulation, 2018**. Eligible candidates shall be invited for interview in the ratio of 1:3 subject to availability on the basis of their score/marks obtained in **Appendix-II (Table 3 B), University Grants Commission Regulation, 2018**.
- (3) In accordance with provision under the Rule XI, Sub-rule (e) of APPSC Manual for Conduct of Examination-2024, in case of direct recruitment by interview only, a candidate has to score a minimum of 50% of the total marks in the interview to qualify for selection. Relaxation for PwBD candidates, if any, shall apply as per the Government notification.

(E) SCANNED DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION TO BE UPLOADED

- (1) Signature of the candidate on white paper with black ink pen (40-50 kb in jpg format).
- (2) Latest/Recent color passport size photo (40-100 kb in jpg format). The photograph is to be in white background, front faced and without headgear and sunglasses.
- (3) Self-Attested photocopy of Matriculation Certificate/Marksheet with Date of Birth mentioned issued by the Board only will be accepted for proof of age.
- (4) Self-Attested Photocopy of APST certificate for APST candidates and Aadhar Card/PRC/EPIC for other applicants.
- (5) Self-Attested photocopy of Bachelor Degree certificates and Mark Sheets issued by the Assistant Registrar/Registrar/Controller of Examination/Vice-Chancellor of the concerned University to ascertain degree.
- (6) Self-Attested photocopy of Master Degree certificates and Mark Sheets issued by the Assistant Registrar/Registrar/Controller of Examination/Vice-Chancellor of the concerned University to ascertain degree.
- (7) Self-Attested NET with JRF/NET/SLET/SET certificate.
- (8) Self-Attested photocopy of M.Phil/Ph.D certificates issued in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D Degree) Regulations, 2009 or 2016 and their amendments.
- (9) Certificate from Registrar/Dean (if Ph.D prior to July 11, 2009). Format is appended herewith as Annexure-1.
- (10) Research Publication(s) published in Peer-Reviewed or UGC-listed Journals.
- (11) Teaching/Post-Doctoral Experience.
- (12) Awards given by International Organizations/ Government of India/ Government of India recognized National Level Bodies/ State Government.
- (13) Self-Attested Photocopy of APST certificate (to avail age relaxation and reservation under APST category) or ST/SC certificate (to avail age relaxation under ST/SC category) or PRC/Aadhar Card in case of General candidates (Non-APST/ Non-ST/SC).
- (14) Person with Benchmark Disability (PwBD) candidates should submit disability certificate issued by the certifying authority as per Section 57 of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, failing which, such candidates shall not claim the reservation under PwBD category and shall not be entitled for any concession. In the Medical Board, the Speciality of the particular disabilities, for which certificate is sought, must be a member. Otherwise, the Disability Certificate will not be accepted for claiming reservation under PwBD category.


Secretary
Arunachal Pradesh
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(F) APPLICATION FEE

- (1) APST candidates are required to pay fee of ₹ 150/- (Rupees One Hundred Fifty) only and ₹200/- (Rupees Two Hundred) only for other applicants.
- (2) PwBD candidates are exempted from payment of application fee as per Section 19 of the Arunachal Pradesh Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2018.

(G) LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION: 23rd February, 2026 (1100 Hours)

NOTE:

- (1) Eligible candidates will have to produce the above-mentioned (at Point E) Certificates/Documents and Mark Sheets in **original** at the time of interview, failing which he/she will not be allowed to appear in the interview.
- (2) The decision of the Commission as to the eligibility or otherwise of candidate for admission to Interview shall be final and no correspondence or personal enquiry will be entertained.
- (3) Date for the Interview of the eligible candidates will be notified in due course.
- (4) The candidate must note that the Appointing Authority, that is, the Indenting/ Requisitioning Department conducts the medical test and verifies the character and antecedents of the candidates, authenticity of documents/certificates, disability certificates and eligibility as per the Recruitment Rules before finally appointing the candidates. Therefore, the provisional recommendation of a candidate does not confer upon him/her any right to appointment unless the Appointing Authority is satisfied, after such inquiry as maybe considered necessary, that the candidate is suitable for the appointment to the post.
- (5) In case of PwBD candidates, the selection process will be as per the Right of persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 and Arunachal Pradesh Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2018 as amended from time to time.

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Dated Itanagar, the 22nd January, 2026

Copy to: -

1. The Commissioner to the Hon'ble Governor of Arunachal Pradesh.
2. The Commissioner to the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh.
3. The PS to Hon'ble Chairman, APPSC.
4. The Under Secretary to the Chief Secretary, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.
5. The Commissioner (Education), Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar with reference to your letter no. HE/CE-58/99Pt-II/7130-33, dated 06/03/2025 and letter no. HE/CE-58/99Pt-II/E4778-81, dated 25/11/2025 letter no. HE/CE-58/99Pt-II/6181-84 dated 02/01/2026.
6. APPSC Website.
7. Office copy.

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Annexure-1

Format of certificate to be submitted by candidates for the post of Assistant Professor under Department of Education, Government of Arunachal Pradesh seeking exemption from NET/SLET/SET on the basis of having registered for Ph.D programme prior to July 11, 2009.

1. Name of the Scholar: _____
2. Course/Programme: _____
3. Registration period from _____ to _____
4. Status of research programme (full-time/part-time) _____
5. Date of reckoning of registration to the programme: _____
6. Topic of Research: _____
7. Subject/discipline: _____
8. Name of the Supervisor: _____
9. Date of award of the degree: _____

Signature of Scholar/Candidate

Certificate of Registrar or Dean (Academic Affairs) of the University

Please tick (✓) the relevant box

1.	The candidate/scholar has registered for Ph.D programme prior to July 11, 2009	Yes ☐ No ☐
2.	The Ph.D. Degree of the candidate/scholar has been awarded in the regular mode.	Yes ☐ No ☐
3.	The Ph.D. thesis have been evaluated by at least two external examiners.	Yes ☐ No ☐
4.	An open Ph.D. viva-voce of the candidate has been conducted.	Yes ☐ No ☐
5.	The candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work, out of which at least one is a referred journal.	Yes ☐ No ☐
6.	The candidate has presented at least two papers based on his/her Ph.D. work in conference/seminars/ sponsored/funded/supported by the UGC/ICSSR/CSIR or any similar agency	Yes ☐ No ☐

Certified that above information is correct to the best of our knowledge and we are fully aware that anything proven wrong may be challenged in the court of law.

Signature of Registrar or Dean (Academic Affairs)

Name of Registrar or Dean (Academic Affairs):

Date:

Seal: