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RESERVATION POLICY

The Punjabi University shall follow the reservation Policy of Punjab Government vide its letter No. 11/53/92-6 Edu.I/9729,9938 dated 10.05.2002 and 15-05-2002.

DIVISION OF SEATS (Courses where the number of seats is more than 50)

- (A) 85% seats would be reserved for the candidates from within the State of Punjab. The eligibility criteria for 85% seats will be that the candidate must be a resident of Punjab State in terms of Punjab Government, Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms (PP-II Branch) letter No. 1/3/95-3PPII/9619, dated 6th June, 1996 and letter No. 1/3/95-3PPII/80, dated 1st January, 1999 or have passed 10+1 and 10+2 examination as a regular candidate from a recognized institution situated in Punjab. However, wards of Defence Personnel posted in Punjab are exempted from this condition to the extent that they should have passed only qualifying examination from a recognized institution situated in Punjab. Each candidate would be required to submit a certificate this effect from the Principal/Head of Institution last attended in the prescribed Proforma (Pb.Gov.No.13/1/09-6Edu.1/ dated 19.08.2009).
- (B) 15% seats will be open to all the candidates from outside the state of Punjab. The candidates being admitted under 15% quota on All India Basis shall be eligible only for reservation provided by the constitution i.e. 25% for S.Cs./S.Ts. and 10% for B.Cs/OBC. S.Cs./S.T. Candidates admitted under 15% seats will have to pay full fee and no relaxation in fee will be given to such candidates as has been given to candidate admitted under 85% seats. The candidate has to produce the Domicile certificate at the time of Admission.
- (C) The above 85% reservation clause shall also be applicable to the following categories of candidates:
 - (i) Children, wards and dependents of those regular Punjab Government Employees/Members of All India Services borne on Punjab cadre as well as those on deputation from other State cadres with the Punjab Government/Boards and Corporations/Statutory bodies established by or under an Act of the State of Punjab, posted outside the State of Punjab.
 - (ii) Children, wards and dependents of those regular Central Government employees not covered under other categories of this para (A) with Punjab domicile, who have served for atleast two years in connection with the affairs of the Punjab out of 5 Years preceding the year of entrance examination
 - (iii) Children, wards and dependents of those Punjab Government pensioners settled outside Punjab before 1st January of the year of Entrance Examination.
 - (iv) Children, wards and dependents of military/para-military forces personnel belonging to the state of Punjab as per record at the time of their entry into service. (A certificate on prescribed proforma by the commanding officer of the Unit has to be furnished).
 - (v) Children, wards and dependents of the Ex-servicemen of military/para-military forces personnel belonging to the State of Punjab as per record at the time of their entry into service who retired on or after 1st January of the year preceding two years of the year of Entrance Examination.

*RESERVATION OF SEATS

The percentage of seats reserved for different categories shall be as follows:-

* The Reservation Policy is tentative and is subject to change as per Policy of Punjab Government/ Punjabi University, Patiala.

i) Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes

25%

(ii) Backward Classes/OBC

10%

The persons belonging to creamy layer are not entitled to the reservation under BC/OBC as per Notification No. 1/41/93 RS1/209 Government of Punjab, Department of Welfare dated 24-02-2009 and Government of Punjab (Reservation Cell) vide Notification No. 1/41/93-RS1/1093050/1 dated 27-10-2017.

The rule of exclusion will apply to sons and daughters of

(a) Persons having gross annual income of Rs. 8.0 lakh or above or possessing wealth above the exemption limit as prescribed in the Wealth Tax Act for period three consecutive years;

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(b) Persons in Categories I, II, III and IV who are not disentitled to the benefit of reservation but have income from other sources of wealth which will bring them within the income/wealth criteria mentioned in (a) above.

Explanation: Income from salaries or agricultural land shall not be clubbed.

(iii)	Border Area/Backward Area	2% (1% each)
(iv	Sports Persons	1%
(v)	Children/Grand Children of Freedom Fighter of Punjab	1%
(vi	Disabled Persons (Blind/ Deaf & Dumb/ Other handicapped)	5%

If suitable candidates are not available in any one of these sub-categories of disabled candidates or are not found suitable for the particular course, the seats so available will be filled up by the candidates from the other subcategories of disabled candidates.

(vii) Children/Widows of Defence Personnel

1%

Children/Widows of defence personnel killed or disabled to the extent of 50% or more in action, wards of gallantry awardees, Ex-Servicemen and children of serving defence personnel/Ex-servicemen.

(viii) Children/Widows of Para-Military Forces Personnel

1%

Children/Widows of para-military forces personnel, Punjab Police, PAP, and Punjab Home Guards killed or disabled in action to the extent of 50% or more, ex-para-military forces personnel and children of serving paramilitary forces personnel/ex-paramilitary forces personnel.

(ix) Children/Grand Children of Terrorist Affected Persons 1% Children/Grand Children of Sikh Riot Affected Persons 1%

November, 1984 riots affected displaced persons seats are only for Candidate of Punjab Domicile. The advantage will be given to only those candidates whose names are entered in Red Book.

Note: Course where the number of seats are between 20 to 50.

The reservation of seats in departments where the number of seats is 20 or above, the following categories will be clubbed. The seats will be allotted according to the order of merit. The clubbing of categories is given below:

a.	Border Area/ Backward Area	2%
b.	Disabled Persons	3%
c.	Children/Widows of Defence personnel/ Para-Military Personnel	2%
d.	Children / Grand Children of Freedom Fighter, Terrorist Affected, Sikh Riot Affected	3%

Course where the number of seats less than or equal to 20.

The reservation of seats in department where the number of seats is below 20, the following categories will be clubbed and the seats will be allotted according to the order of Merit. The clubbing of categories is given below:

a.	Border Area/Backward Area/ Disabled Person	5%
b.	Children/Widows of Defence Personnel/ Para-Military Forces Personnel,	5%
	Children / Grand Children of Freedom Fighter, Terrorist Affected, Sikh Riot Affected	