## **Competitive Examinations for Students**

Student support by the Institution is an integral part of any educational set-up. This support is lifelong for the student once he/she is admitted. Whenever educational need arises, students from present or past batches should be entertained in a most possible ways.

On the other hand, institution that foresees and offers support for ensuring better professional future can claim this venture as a benchmark for its effective functioning. Believing in this philosophy of the student support, the Institution with the pure intention of community service strives to equip students for ensuring better placement for the current batch and also the prospective candidates for their admissions and competitive exams.

Institution conducts orientation of two competitive examinations for the benefit of student community.

# **1.** Central Eligibility test (CET) for candidates aspiring to get admission in B.Ed. Programme.

MAH B.Ed. CET exam is conducted by The Directorate of Higher Education, State & Government of Maharashtra. This exam is conducted annually. It is a state level entrance examination. This is the mandatory exam for the candidates who wish to seek admission in the two-year full-time regular course of Bachelor of Education offered by the government, aided or unaided institution in the state of Maharashtra.

The Institution organizes orientation for B.Ed. CET every year without any charges for the candidates who have filled online form for CET. In the academic year 2017-2018 the session was conducted twice on  $15^{\text{th}} \& 22^{\text{nd}}$  April, 2017 respectively and in 2018-2019 the orientation was organized on  $22^{\text{nd}}$  and  $23^{\text{rd}}$  May 2018.

Institution considers following objectives for the orientation of CET:

- To make candidates familiar with the exam pattern
- To give them exposure on different strategies and techniques used to clear the test with good marks
- To give them practice through mock test in each area and thereafter to discuss for better clarity
- To make them understand the online process of admission after CET exams

The programme for the Orientation generally is scheduled as follows:

| Time   | Day 1 & Date                | Time   | Day 2 & Date                       |
|--------|-----------------------------|--------|------------------------------------|
| ¹∕2 hr | Introduction of the College | ¹∕2 hr | Orientation to English Language    |
|        |                             |        | papers                             |
| ¹⁄₂ hr | Admission Process           | 1.5    | Solving papers and Discussion of   |
|        |                             | hrs    | Papers with respect to answer keys |
|        |                             |        | · ·                                |

| 1 hr       | Overall orientation on CET and tips for cracking the test.                        | 1 hr | (Mental Ability & Teacher<br>Aptitude, English Language<br>competency) |  |
|------------|---|------|--|--|
| 1 hr.      | Orientation to Areas of CET<br>Papers<br>Orientation on General Knowledge<br>(GK) | 1.5  | Discussion of Papers with respect                                      |  |
| 1.5<br>hrs | Solving Papers and Discussion of<br>Papers with respect to answer keys            | hrs  | to answer keys   |  |

The Institution organizes B.Ed. CET after the candidates register themselves online for CET. All the aspects of CET are covered during orientation. Areas like General Knowledge, English Language, Mental Ability, Teaching Aptitude and Attitude are discussed with mock test paper and solving of paper with reflective discussion. The candidates are also guided for online admission process. Participants' feedback is taken to ensure better quality of this training programme in coming years.



#### 2. Teacher Eligibility Test for In-Service school teachers: (TET)

As per the provision of **Free and Compulsory Education of Children Act, 2009**, the Teacher Eligibility Test (TET) is now compulsory for all teachers teaching Class I to VIII to 8th. This will be applicable to all these elementary teachers in all schools providing primary education till Std. VIII in schools of any management, mediums, board examinations or subsidized / unpaid / non-aided grant, etc.

As per the norms and realizing the importance of TET for our Alumni to contribute in proving themselves as better teachers and also for the current batch of the students for better prospects in getting placements, LUCE organized two days TET Orientation Progamme on  $24^{\text{th}} - 25^{\text{th}}$  November, 2017. Objectives of the orientation were:

• To provide comprehensive guidelines for TET,

- To enhance the understanding of in-service and pre-service teachers in different areas of TET exam,
- To provide exposure on different strategies and techniques to crack the test tactfully,
- To provide opportunity for mock test followed by discussion with reasoning and reflection in each areas.

The programme is generally scheduled as given below to achieve these objectives:

#### Day 1

| Time   | Content  |
|--------|--|
| ¹⁄₂ hr | Introduction and Paper Pattern and Form Filling Orientation      |
| 1hr    | Orientation to Child Development and Pedagogy with Paper Solving |
| 1hr    | Orientation to Science Paper with Paper Solving                  |
| 1hr    | Orientation to Social Studies with Paper Solving                 |

## Day 2

| Time  | Content   |
|-------|---|
| 1 hr. | Orientation to Language I - Marathi/Hindi               |
|       | with paper solving                                      |
| 1 hr. | Orientation to  |
| 1 hr. | Orientation to Environmental Studies with Paper Solving |
| 1 hr. | Orientation to Mathematics with Paper Solving           |

More Mock Tests on demand every weekend

In the academic year 2017-2018, alumni and student-teachers attended the orientation for both the days. Orientation programme ended by taking constructive feedback from participants for further improvement if required.

For the current year, the orientation is planned and scheduled on  $2^{nd}$  and  $3^{rd}$  July as the TET for 2018 will be conducted on  $15^{th}$  July in this year.

Community outreach of the Institution thus is the way of social service to connect and respond to the local needs of the stakeholders.



## **Competitive Examinations for Students**

### 2018-19

# **1.** Central Eligibility Test (CET) for candidates aspiring to get admission in B.Ed. Programme.

LUCE had organized CET orientation to the students who had filled online form for exam. This orientation was given to the students without any cost. It was organized twice for the students. It was organized on 30<sup>th</sup> April 2019 and 29<sup>th</sup> May 2019. The following was the programme schedule for the CET orientation:

| Time       | 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2019 & 29 <sup>th</sup> May 2019             |  |
|------------|---|--|
|            | Registration  |  |
|            | Introduction of the College   |  |
| 1 Hour     | Address by Principal Ma'am  |  |
|            | Admission Process   |  |
| 15 Minutes | Overall orientation on CET and tips for cracking the test.          |  |
| 30 Minutes | Orientation on Areas of CET   |  |
|            | Papers  |  |
|            | Orientation on General Knowledge (GK) +                             |  |
|            | Solving papers and Discussion of Papers with respect to answer keys |  |
| 20 Minutes | Break   |  |
|            | Orientation to English Language papers +                            |  |
|            | Solving papers and Discussion of Papers with respect to answer keys |  |
| 1 Hour     |   |  |
|            | Mental Ability & Teacher Aptitude +                                 |  |
|            | Solving papers and Discussion of Papers with respect to answer keys |  |
| 10 Minutes | Feedback  |  |

The programme stated with registration followed by introduction of college and address by Principal, Dr. Savita Manchekar. Admission process taken by administration staff, Ms. Lalita Uplori. She solved all quarries related to the process for taking online admission. Comprehensive orientation on CET papers and techniques to score more in CET was taken by LUCE staff followed by each paper individually taken for orientation, Solving Papers and Discussion of Papers with respect to answer keys. At the end the programme, feedback was taken from all the participants for enhancing quality of the programme in future.

#### 2. Teacher Eligibility Test for In-Service school teachers: (TET)

TET is mandatory for the teachers to clear and to get job in different schools at secondary level. LUCE had taken initiative to orient F.Y and S.Y. B.Ed. students for TET and

prepare them for coming future. In this academic year 2019, LUCE had organized TET orientation on 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 and invited Mr. Sandeep Shah, who is Alumnus of LUCE and cleared TET & CTET in his first attempt. He has taken very effective session for tactfully clearing TET. Students cleared their doubts and solved papers and discuss the Papers with respect to answer keys. LUCE is continuing with providing mock papers solving for practice and effective results for students.

Following was the Orientation schedule for TET:

| Time       | 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2019                          |
|------------|---|
|            | Registration                                      |
|            | Orientation of TET paper Patterns                 |
|            | Session by Mr. Sandeep Shah (Alumnus of           |
|            | LUCE) on creating tips and guidelines on clearing |
|            | TET   |
| 3 hours    | Language paper solving (English & Hindi)          |
|            | Childhood and Growing up paper solving and        |
|            | discussion  |
| 30 Minutes | Break   |
| 45 Minutes | Parallel Session on Social Science & Science and  |
|            | Mathematics paper solving and discussion          |
| 10 Minutes | Feedback  |







