



**Centre for Journalism and Mass Communication
HNB Garhwal University, Srinagar (Garhwal), Uttarakhand**

COUNSELLING NOTICE FOR ADMISSION TO M.A. (JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION) TWO-YEAR PROGRAMME – 1st SEMESTER (2026-27)

The counselling process for admission to the **M.A. (Journalism & Mass Communication) Two-Year Programme – 1st Semester (Academic Session 2026-27)** at Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Garhwal University will be conducted as per the following schedule.

The merit list for admission will be prepared after document verification during the counselling. **Only candidates attending the counselling process will be considered for the final merit list.**

All applicants who have applied for admission to **M.A. (Journalism & Mass Communication) Two-Year Programme** under various categories are required to follow the steps mentioned below.

Counselling Schedule and Process

Date of Counselling: 20th August 2026

Time: 11:00 AM

Venue: Center for Journalism and Mass Communication, Chauras Campus, HNB Garhwal University, Srinagar (Garhwal), Uttarakhand.

Counselling Procedure

Step 1: Physical Presence for Counselling (Document Verification)

All applicants must be physically present for the counselling on the above-mentioned date and time. They are required to bring the following documents:

1. Duly Filled Admission Form

(Available on the University website)

2. Self-attested Photocopies of:

- 10th Marksheet and Pass Certificate
- 12th Marksheet and Pass Certificate
- Marksheets of all years/semesters of the qualifying Bachelor's Degree, and the Degree / Provisional Certificate
- UET (PG) 2026 Scorecard
- OBC/SC/ST/EWS Certificate, wherever applicable (as per Central Government norms)
- NCC / NSS / Sports / Co-curricular certificates, wherever weightage is claimed

3. Original Documents for Verification:

- 10th Marksheet and Pass Certificate
- 12th Marksheet and Pass Certificate
- Marksheets of all years/semesters of the qualifying Bachelor's Degree, and the Degree / Provisional Certificate

- UET (PG) 2026 Scorecard
- OBC/SC/ST/EWS Certificate, wherever applicable (as per Central Government norms)
- NCC / NSS / Sports / Co-curricular certificates, wherever weightage is claimed
- Original Transfer Certificate, Migration Certificate, and Character Certificate

Step 2: Declaration of Merit List

The merit list will be prepared based on the documents verified during counselling. **Only those candidates who appear for counselling will be considered for the preparation of the merit list.** The merit position of a candidate will be determined by the UET (PG)-2026 score, together with the weightage admissible under the Admission Prospectus 2026-27, namely five per cent (5%) campus weightage for candidates who have passed their qualifying Bachelor's degree examination from Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Garhwal University, and weightage for participation in co-curricular activities restricted to a maximum of 5 marks. The provisional merit position of each applicant, computed on the basis of the particulars declared in the online application form, is placed at the Annexure to this notice and is **subject to verification of original documents at the time of counselling.**

Step 3: Fee Submission (Post Merit List Declaration)

Candidates whose names appear in the merit list will be required to submit their admission fees through the Samarth Portal within the prescribed timeline. The fee submission deadline will be announced along with the merit list.

Important Instructions

- Attendance in counselling is mandatory. Failure to attend counselling will result in automatic cancellation of the admission application.
- All admissions will remain provisional until document verification and fee submission are completed.
- Submission of false information, invalid certificates, or any discrepancy in the documents will result in cancellation of admission.
- Candidates claiming admission under OBC/SC/ST/EWS categories must produce valid certificates as prescribed under Central Government/University norms.
- Weightage marks shown in the Annexure are provisional. Any claim for campus weightage or co-curricular weightage that is not supported by the original certificate produced at the counselling will be withdrawn, and the merit position will be revised accordingly.
- Candidates whose qualifying Bachelor's degree result is awaited must produce the final result/marksheet at the time of counselling; their candidature will be considered only on fulfilment of the minimum eligibility prescribed in the Admission Prospectus 2026-27.
- The Admission Committee reserves the right to extend or modify the counselling schedule, if required.

For any queries, please contact:

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Convener, Admission Committee

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List of students called for counselling for admission to M.A. (Journalism & Mass Communication) Two-Year Programme – 1st Semester (2026–27)

(Arranged in decreasing order of provisional merit marks – UET (PG)-2026 score plus admissible weightage. Provisional and subject to verification of original documents at counselling.)

Merit No.	Form Number	UET Roll No.	Name of the Applicant	Name of Father	Gender	Category	UET Score	Campus Wt. (5%)	Co-cur. Wt. (max 5)	Total Marks
1	HNBGUE260053500	1312024	SIYA RAWAT	BUDHVEER SINGH RAWAT	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	72	5	0	77
2	HNBGUE260051984	6312021	SHIVANGI MISHRA	SANJAY MISHRA	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	67	0	0	67
3	HNBGUE260017343	1312005	ANJALI	SAYORAJ SINGH	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	59	5	0	64
4	HNBGUE260053771	6312010	KUMARI MONIKA	DEEPAK KUMAR	FEMALE	SC	62	0	0	62
5	HNBGUE260055922	1312028	SWATI	MAHENDRA PRASAD	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	53	5	0	58
6	HNBGUE260017351	1312017	PRAVEEN SINGH	NARENDRA SINGH	MALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	52	5	1	58
7	HNBGUE260057149	1312004	AMISHA GOSWAMI	NARENDRA PRSHAD GOSWAMI	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	52	5	1	58
8	HNBGUE260055394	1312009	ARTI CHAUDHRY	DEVENDRA SINGH CHAUDHRY	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	52	5	0	57
9	HNBGUE260050432	1312010	ARYA SRIVASTAVA	DHIRENDRA KUMAR SRIVASTAVA	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	52	5	0	57
10	HNBGUE260055319	6312020	SAURABH SINGH	RAJENDRA SINGH GUSAIN	MALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	51	5	1	57
11	HNBGUE260050182	1312013	MAHAK RAUTHAN	JEET SINGH	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	51	5	0	56
12	HNBGUE260051542	1312012	KETHAVATH SRIKANTH	KETHAVATH BICHYA	MALE	ST	51	5	0	56
13	HNBGUE260051863	1312006	ANKIT RAJ	AJIT KUMAR ROY	MALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	51	5	0	56
14	HNBGUE260017356	1312026	SUMEDHA SACHDEVA	LATE SHRI SURESH KUMAR SACHDEVA	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	55	0	0	55
15	HNBGUE260017353	1312022	SHIWANK NAUTIYAL	NAGENDRA DUTT NAUTIYAL	MALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	48	5	0	53
16	HNBGUE260049776	4312002	NIKHIL KUMAR MISHRA	VIJAY NATH MISHRA	MALE	EWS	48	0	0	48
17	HNBGUE260017352	1312020	SAMRIDHI BHANDARI	MR SANJAY BHANDARI	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	40	5	0	45

Merit No.	Form Number	UET Roll No.	Name of the Applicant	Name of Father	Gender	Category	UET Score	Campus Wt. (5%)	Co-cur. Wt. (max 5)	Total Marks
18	HNBGUE260017357	1312027	SURBHI CHANDRA	HARISH CHANDRA	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	40	0	0	40
19	HNBGUE260051767	1312025	SONALI	MANOJ KUMAR	FEMALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	35	5	0	40
20	HNBGUE260056500	N/A	RISHABH BISHT	NATHI SINGH BISHT	MALE	GENERAL / OPEN CATEGORY / UNRESERVED	N/A	5	0	N/A

Notes: (i) Campus weightage of 5 marks has been shown provisionally for candidates who have declared Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Garhwal University as the university of their qualifying Bachelor's degree; it will be confirmed against the original marksheet/registration produced at counselling. (ii) Co-curricular weightage has been computed as per Rule 16 of the Important Admission Rules of the Admission Prospectus 2026-27 and is limited to a maximum of 5 marks. (iii) Where two or more candidates have equal total marks, the higher UET (PG)-2026 score has been placed first, followed by the higher percentage in the qualifying examination and then by the earlier date of birth. (iv) Candidates who have claimed sports or co-curricular weightage must produce the certificate of the competent authority showing the level of participation; weightage not evidenced at counselling will not be granted. (v) One applicant whose UET (PG)-2026 score was not available in the application data has been listed at the end and shown as 'N/A'; the candidate has not been ranked against scored applicants and will be considered only on verification of a valid UET (PG)-2026 score at the time of counselling.