



**ADMISSION NOTIFICATION No. 18 of 2026/MBT**

**2-year M Sc Biotechnology Programme (GAT-B Qualified)**

**(Session-2026)**

Online Applications are invited from eligible **GAT-B** qualified candidates for admission to **M Sc Biotechnology** Programme for the academic session 2026 offered at Department of Biotechnology, University of Kashmir. Admission to the Programme shall be governed by the DBT Regulation /Admission Policy of the University of Kashmir. The candidates can check the status of their GAT-B result by accessing [www.rcb.res.in](http://www.rcb.res.in)

**i) Important dates as approved by DBT for GAT-B 2026:**

<b>Admission Process begins</b>	<b>16-06-2026</b>
<b>Submission of Online Application Forms</b>	<b>16-06-2026</b>
<b>Last date for submitting online Application Forms</b>	<b>30-06-2026</b>
<b>Display of 1<sup>st</sup> selection list</b>	<b>05-07-2026</b>
<b>Last date for completion of admission formalities for 1<sup>st</sup> Selection list</b>	<b>17-07-2026</b>
<b>Display of vacant seats and issuance of 2<sup>nd</sup> selection list against available vacant seats (if any)</b>	<b>18-07-2026</b>
<b>Last date for completion of admission formalities for 2<sup>nd</sup> Selection list</b>	<b>24-07-2026</b>
<b>Mop-up round (in person Counselling)</b>	<b>27-07-2026</b>
<b>Transfer of Candidates (if any)</b>	<b>07-08-2026</b>
<b>Closure of Admission</b>	<b>20-08-2026</b>
<b>Submission of List of admitted students to DBT</b>	<b>30-08-2026</b>

**ii) Eligibility:**

Applicants should have passed, Bachelor's degree under 10+2+3 pattern in Physical, and Biological Sciences OR Bachelor's degree in Agricultural, Veterinary and Fishery Science, Pharmacy, Engineering/Technology or Medicine (MBBS) or BDS from the University of Kashmir or any other Institute recognized by UGC with at least 55% marks in aggregate for Open Merit and 50% marks for reserved categories.

**iii) Intake Capacity: (20 Seats)**

**iv) Admission Criteria:**

Candidates shall be admitted to the programme on the basis of GAT-B score 2026

**v) Reserved Categories (Break-up)**

S. No.	Category	Reservation %age	Authority for Issuing Certificate
1.	Open Merit (Gen.)	50.5%	----
2.	Schedule Caste {SC}	15%	Tehsildar concerned

S. No.	Category	Reservation %age	Authority for Issuing Certificate
3.	Scheduled Tribe {ST}	7.5%	Tehsildar concerned
4.	Other Backward Class (OBC-NCL)	27%	Tehsildar concerned
5.	Differently-abled [disability not less than 40%] {DA}	5% (Horizontal)	Superintendent Medical Board
<b>Supernumerary</b>			
1.	Economically Weaker Sections (EWS)	10%	Tehsildar concerned

**vi) Submission of Online Application Forms:**

The candidates are advised to follow below mentioned steps for filling their Online Application Forms: -

**Step-1:** Visit <http://www.kashmiruniversity.net> or [www.kashmiruniversity.ac.in](http://www.kashmiruniversity.ac.in) and click on Link **Admissions**. Read Important Instructions for Registration and Submission of Form carefully.

**Step-2:** Candidates need to register before submitting the Online Application Form. For Registration with the System Click on the **“Register as Student”**. Remember the Username and Password for future reference.

**Step-3:** After successful Registration, login into the system for submitting Online Application Form. Enter your **“Registration No.”** and Click **“Next”**.

**Step-4:** Enter the required details and Upload your latest passport size Photograph and click **“Next”**.

**Step-6:** If there is any variation click on **“Previous”** button, make necessary corrections and then Click **“Submit”**. Get a printout of the Form and retain it for reference and record.

**vii) Hard Copies Application Forms and fee receipt :**

Candidates need not to submit the hard copy of the Application Form nor of fee receipt; however, they must take printout of the online submitted Application Form and retain it for future reference.

**viii) Disclaimer:**

Directorate will not check/verify the academic/category certificates etc. of the candidates at the time of Online submission of application form and it will be the sole responsibility of the candidate to ascertain that he/she fulfills all the eligibility criteria for admission to the programme he/she is applying for. However, the documents will be verified by the concerned Department at the time of completion of admission related formalities in respect of the provisionally selected candidates to a particular programme. The admission of a provisionally selected candidate will be rejected at any time if it is found that the applicant was not fulfilling the eligibility criteria on the date fixed for the purpose or has misrepresented/concealed any facts/information;

**ix) Other relevant information:**

• **Application Form/Fee Reconciliation Status:**

A candidate must check the status of their Application Forms after three days of its online submission. In case, the status of his/her Application form is not updated to **“Fee Received”** or **“Fee Reconciliation is pending”**, a candidate should post a query online

from the dashboard and if a query does not get resolved, a candidate may contact the **IT Cell adjacent to DSW Office Near Rumi Gate, University of Kashmir**, alongwith Application Form, Fee receipt and all other documents, within two days after the last date of submission of Application Form i.e. upto **30-06-2026**; thereafter, no claim, whatsoever, will be entertained by the University;

- **Submission of Application Forms and selection is subject to determination of eligibility for admission to the Programme by reference to the Admission Policy-2026;**
- Notification for Self-financed Seats shall be issued on **28-07-2026**;
- For any further query/ information, the candidates shall contact **Prof. Mehboob Ul Hussain** on **9797291711** during working days and office hours only.

**For further information other than subject related queries, please feel free to contact on 7006795110 and 9797243919 during working days and office hours only.**

Sd/-  
Director

No: F(MSBT-Adm-26)/DACE/KU/26  
Dated:-15-06-2026