

**NATIONAL SANSKRIT UNIVERSITY
TIRUPATI**

F.No. NSUT/Asst. Professor(Contract Basis)/2026-27

Date: 24.06.2026

**NOTIFICATION FOR ENGAGEMENT OF ONE POSITION OF ASSISTANT
PROFESSOR IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGAMA (UR-01) ON CONTRACT BASIS**

National Sanskrit University, Tirupati invites applications from eligible candidates for engagement of one position of **Assistant Professor in the Department of Agama (UR-01)** for the Academic Year 2026-27.

ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS:

ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATION:

A.

- i) Acharya/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.
- ii) Besides fulfilling the above qualifications, the candidate must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC or the CSIR, or a similar test accredited by the UGC, like SLET/SET or who are or have been awarded a 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 from time to time as the case may be exempted from NET/SLET/SET:

Provided, the candidates registered for the Ph.D. programme prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances/Bye-laws/Regulations of the Institution 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 positions in Universities/Colleges/Institutions subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:-

- a) The Ph.D. degree of the candidate has been awarded in a regular mode;
- b) The Ph.D. thesis has been evaluated by at least two external examiners;



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- 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 in a refereed journal; and
- e) The candidate has presented at least two papers based on his/her Ph.D. work in conferences/seminars sponsored/funded/supported by the UGC / ICSSR/ CSIR or any similar agency.

The fulfilment 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 Programmes 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/institution with a ranking among top 500 in the World University Ranking (at any time) by any one of the following: (i) the Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) (ii) the Times Higher Education (THE) or (iii) the Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) of the Shanghai Jiao Tong University (Shanghai).

Note: The Academic score as specified in Appendix II (Table 3 A) for universities, and Appendix II (Table 3B) for colleges, of the UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018 shall be considered for short-listing of the candidates for interview only, and the selections shall be based only on the performance in the Interview.

DESIRABLE:

1. Candidates must have the ability to teach in Sanskrit medium.
2. Practical knowledge in Agama.

HONORARIUM:

The fixed emoluments will be paid that should not be less than the monthly gross salary of a regularly-appointed Assistant Professor.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. A relaxation of 5% shall be allowed at the Bachelor's as well as at the Master's level for the candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe / Other Backward Classes (OBC) (Non-creamy Layer) / Differently-abled (a) Blindness and low vision; (b) Deaf and Hard of Hearing; (c) Locomotor disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid-attack victims and muscular dystrophy; (d) Autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness; (e) Multiple disabilities from amongst persons under (a) to (d) including deaf-blindness) for the purpose of eligibility and assessing good academic record for direct recruitment under their respective category posts. The eligibility marks of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever the grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible. based only on the qualifying marks Without including any grace mark procedure.

UGC Seven Point Scale

Grade	Scale	Grade Description	Percentage Equivalent
O	5.50 - 6.00	Outstanding	75-100
A	4.50 - 5.49	Very Good	65-74
B	3.50 - 4.49	Good	55-64
C	2.50 - 3.49	Average	45-54
D	1.50 - 2.49	Below Average	35-44
E	0.50 - 1.49	Poor	25-34
F	0.00 - 0.49	Fail	0-24

2. The selections shall be based only on the performance in the interview.
3. Candidate should bring all the original documents such as certificates, mark sheets, publications, testimonials supporting age, caste, qualification, experience etc. at the time of interview for verification of academic and research score. At this stage, if any information is found wrong, candidature will be cancelled.
4. The University reserves right to increase / decrease or cancel any post / notification without assigning reasons thereon.
5. If any claim/ certificate / document is found to be false / fake / incorrect at any stage of verification before or after engagement, necessary action will be initiated



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against the candidate and the candidature shall be cancelled and engagement shall be terminated forthwith if engaged.

6. The University reserves the right:
 - a. to fill up or not to fill up any of the vacancies advertised without assigning any reasons.
 - b. to revise / re-schedule / cancel / suspend the recruitment process without assigning any reason. The decision of the University shall be final, and no appeal shall be entertained.
 - c. to reject any application without assigning any reason thereof.
 - d. to relax the eligibility conditions in deserving cases.
7. Canvassing will lead to debarring the candidature.
8. The applicants are advised to satisfy themselves before applying that they fulfil the eligibility conditions as laid down for the positions in this notification. No enquiry seeking advice as to eligibility etc., will not be entertained.
9. Candidates belonging to OBC category but coming under creamy layer will not be entitled to the benefits of reservation and should apply under UR category.
10. Caste Certificate issued by Officer who is not below the rank of Mandal Revenue Officer / Tahsildar concerned in respect of SC / ST / OBC candidates shall be enclosed along with Biodata.
11. The shortlisted candidates shall attend the Interview at their own expenses.
12. The candidates must submit a Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque for Rs.800/- (Rupees Eight Hundred only) drawn in favour of The Registrar, National Sanskrit University, Tirupati, payable at Tirupati towards registration fee / processing fee.
13. SC / ST / Female / Physically Handicapped candidates are exempted from payment of registration fee / processing fee.
14. The engagement of Assistant Professor on Contract Basis is purely temporary.
15. Please go through the University Website: <https://nsktu.ac.in/> at regular intervals for updates / amendments, addendums, etc. No other way of communication will be provided to the candidates.
16. Engagement of Assistant Professor on Contract Basis is further subject to the following conditions:
 - a. Only shortlisted candidates as per UGC Guidelines will be called for interview.
 - b. The engagement of Assistant Professor on Contract basis is purely temporary and will not have any claim over regularization. The engagement is purely for the Academic year 2026- 27.
 - c. The engagement is co-terminus with the closing of the Academic year 2026-27. The University reserves the right to terminate the services of Assistant Professor on Contract Basis without assigning any reasons therefor even before the expiry of term as stipulated.

- d Assistant Professor on Contract Basis will not have any claim or entitlement of such benefits which are admissible to the regular employees of the University.
- e. Assistant Professor on Contract Basis shall abide by all other conditions / rules of National Sanskrit University, Tirupati in force and changes if any thereon from time to time.
- f. The Assistant Professor on Contract Basis shall not deny any assignment given by Head, Concerned Departments, Dean of the Schools of Study, Dean, Academic Affairs and Registrar viz. taking extra classes, online classes, examination duties, etc., as per the requirement.
- g. The honorarium payable is subject to TDS under the Income Tax Act, 1961 and other relevant provisions in force, as applicable.
17. Jurisdiction: In case of any disputes, the territorial jurisdiction for adjudication shall be the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh only.
18. Candidates will require to send the hardcopy of Biodata along with all enclosures and a Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque (if applicable) towards registration fee / processing fee in an envelope, duly superscribed "Application for the post of Assistant Professor (On contract basis), Name of Department" to the following address:

**The Registrar,
National Sanskrit University,
Near LIC Road, Balaji Colony,
Tirupati-517507, Tirupati District,
Andhra Pradesh.**

19. The self-attested copies of all the required documents along with Biodata should reach the university on or before **14.07.2026 up to 06:00 P.M.** failing which the application would not be considered. The university is not responsible for any delay due to post or otherwise.

**Place: Tirupati
Date: 24.06.2026.**




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