Notification
Gujarat Biotechnology University

No : GBU/ADM/2023/admission/126   **Date :** 09/06/2023

Subject : Admission to M.Sc. biotechnology program at GBU for the
academic year 2023 - 2024.

     Admission to M.Sc. Biotechnology program for the academic year 2023-2024 has started (on 09.06.2023) at Gujarat Biotechnology University (GBU). The application is to be done online through link (https://admission.gbu.edu.in/) available on Gujarat Biotechnology University website. Admission related details are attached in Annexure-1 for candidates. Guidelines for online application are attached in Annexure-2. The last date for receiving online application to M.Sc. program at GBU is **26.06.2023**. All candidates are advised to apply online before last date of application (i.e. 26.06.2023).The merit shall be prepared on the basis of GAT-B 2023 score of the candidates. Final admission shall be subject to submission of documents by the candidate as applicable.

[Annexure-1 :Admission details
Annexure-2 : Guidelines to apply online on GBU website]

Registrar,
GBU.

Copy to : (Through email/website.)
Admission committee
IT Department
All students and staff of GBU
All applicants

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1. **Eligibility**:

   A. Bachelor's degree in any field of science/technology as a subject in a 10+2+3/4/5 pattern of education with

   (i) A minimum of 55% marks for GEN/OBC (50% for SC/ST) category in aggregate or as specified by the university/institute, OR

   (ii) A minimum CGPA of 5.5 for GEN/OBC (5.0 for SC/ST) category on a scale of 10; with corresponding proportional requirements when the scales are other than 10 (for example 5.2 for GEN/OBC category (4.8 for SC/ST) on a scale of 8).

   B. Only GAT-B 2023 qualified candidates, i.e., students who have scored above the declared cut-off category-wise and have their names on the official merit list of GAT-B as declared by NTA, shall be considered first for admission to M.Sc. degree programs at GBU. However, if seats remains still vacant after the GAT-B 2023 admission round, students who have successfully cleared or scored above the declared cut-off category-wise of JAM 2023 and after it if still seats are vacant, students who have successfully CUET PG 2023 and would be considered for the remaining seats after due approval from competent authorities.

2. **Reservation policy**

   The reservation policy for M.Sc. admission at GBU has been prepared as per prevailing norms of Gujarat State Government.

   For the purpose of admission, seats shall be reserved for candidates who are of Gujarat origin and fall under the following categories and proportions:

   1. Category A: X% of seats are reserved for candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes (SC).
   2. Category B: Y% of seats are reserved for candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribes (ST).
   3. Category C: Z% of seats are reserved for candidates belonging to Socially and Educationally Backward Classes (SEBC).
   4. Category D: P% of seats are reserved for candidates with Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) certificates.
   5. Category E: Q% of seats are reserved for candidates with Physically Disabled (PD) certificates.

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Note: The above percentages (X, Y, Z, P, Q) are subject to change as per the government norms, regulations and guidelines of the concerned authorities.

Candidates seeking reservation under any of the categories mentioned above must provide valid and appropriate supporting documents during the application process.

The reservation policy aims to provide equal opportunities and promote diversity in admissions to M.Sc. programs at GBU, while ensuring compliance with the applicable regulations and guidelines.

Sr. No.	Caste/Category	Percentage
1.	Scheduled Castes	7%
2.	Scheduled Tribes	15%
3.	Socially & Educationally Backward	27%
4.	Physically Handicapped	5% (Vertical)
5.	EWS*	10% (Supernumerary)

The supernumerary seats that remain vacant shall not be offered to anyone other than the respective category.

A. A candidate seeking admission on a reserved seat shall be required to produce a certificate of inclusion in the concerned category.
   - However, candidates belonging to the socially and educationally backward classes are required to provide a certificate indicating non-inclusion in the creamy layer as per government norms, in addition to the caste certificate.
B. Please note that no caste/category certificate shall be considered valid unless it is duly stamped, signed, and issued by the competent authority specified by the state government.
C. Likewise, a certificate indicating non-inclusion in the creamy layer shall only be valid if it is duly stamped, signed, and issued by the competent authority specified by the state government. The validity of such a certificate shall be subject to the prevailing rules of the state government.
D. If a candidate fails to submit the required certificates within the stipulated time, their candidature shall be considered for admission under the unreserved category.
E. In the event that a candidate from a reserved category secures admission on an unreserved seat according to their merit, they may be

granted admission to the unreserved seat based on their preference.

F. The admission of a candidate from a reserved category on a reserved seat shall be valid, subject to verification of the caste/category certificate issued to them by the competent authority specified by the state government. If this certificate is found to be invalid during verification, the candidate shall not have the right to claim admission on the reserved seat. Furthermore, if the candidate has already been granted admission, it shall be cancelled. However, their admission may continue if vacant unreserved seats are available, subject to meeting the eligibility criteria and merit.

G. Reservation for Physically Disabled Candidates: Five percent (5%) of the available seats in each category shall be reserved, in accordance with the provisions of section 32 of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (49 of 2016), for persons with benchmark disabilities who are capable of performing the academic activities in the respective course. A candidate with a disability shall be required to submit a disability certificate issued and duly signed by the certifying authority. Explanation: "Person with disability" means a person suffering from a disability certified by a competent medical authority, which is not less than forty percent.

H. Students who are on the list of qualified candidates of GAT-B 2023, as declared by NTA, shall be eligible to fill the online application form for M.Sc. admission at GBU. University shall follow the Government of Gujarat norms for granting seats based on the reservation policy of Gujarat to reserved category candidates for M.Sc. admission. After admitting all the reserved category candidates from Gujarat state, if reserved seats remain vacant, the University shall fill the remaining vacant seats as per Government of Gujarat norms upon approval from a competent authority. Following the approval, admission will be granted in order of merit (merit list based on the marks obtained by students in GAT-B 2023) to all remaining applicants, and this list will be inclusive of all applicants (including reservation and general category, i.e. These seats will be filled in order of marks, irrespective of the category.)

3. **Distribution of seats**:- According to reservation percentages as per the current Government of Gujarat (GoG) norms, a total of 100 seats are distributed as follows:

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Sr. No.	Caste/Category	Percentage	No. of Seats
1.	General	51%	51
2.	Scheduled Castes	7%	7
3.	Scheduled Tribes	15%	15
4.	Socially & Educationally backward classes	27%	27
5.	Physically Handicapped	5% (Vertical)	5
6.	EWS*	10% (Supernumerary)	10

4. The **tuition fees** payable for students admitted to M.Sc. degree programs at GBU for the academic year 2023-2024, for each semester, are as follows:

	Semester-1	Semester-2	Semester-3	Semester-4
Fees (in INR) - For SC, ST candidates.	21,000/-	15,750/-	15,750/-	15,750/-
Fees (in INR) - For all others.	42,000/-	31,500/-	31,500/-	31,500/-

The fees shall be paid online.

- The students shall pay an amount of tuition fee as token fee to confirm their seat during admission. The token fees shall be Rs. 15,000/-. The remaining fees of the first semester shall be paid within 15 days of the token fee submission or as notified by the competent authority.

- Students getting admission have to pay the token fee in the stipulated time period, failing which the admission will stand cancelled and the seat would be offered to the next eligible applicant as per norms.

5. The seats shall be filled based on the merit prepared by the admission committee, considering the GAT-B 2023 score obtained by the candidates. The merit list shall be prepared category-wise and contain the following details:

a.   Candidate name
b.   GAT-B roll number
c.   GAT-B score
d.   GBU merit number
e.   Applicable category
f.   Admission seat category

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6. Tentative admission timeframe

Sl. No.	Event Steps	Date
1	GAT-B 2023 Examination	13.05.2023
2	Declaration of GAT-B 2023 Scores byNTA.	TBA
3	The online admission application form live on GBU website.	09.06.2023
4	Last date for filling up the online formon the GBU website	26.06.2023*
5	Display of merit list by GBU on thewebsite	30.06.2023*
6	Last date for payment of fees (registration/token) for confirmation of seat	06.07.2023*
7	Display of vacant seats for additionalround of merit list	10.07.2023*
8	Admissions on vacant seats by counselling (online/offline)	15.07.2023*
8	M.Sc. 2023 batch Academic sessionbegins.	TBA

* Tentative dates, subject to the GATB timeline released.

Step 1: Registration
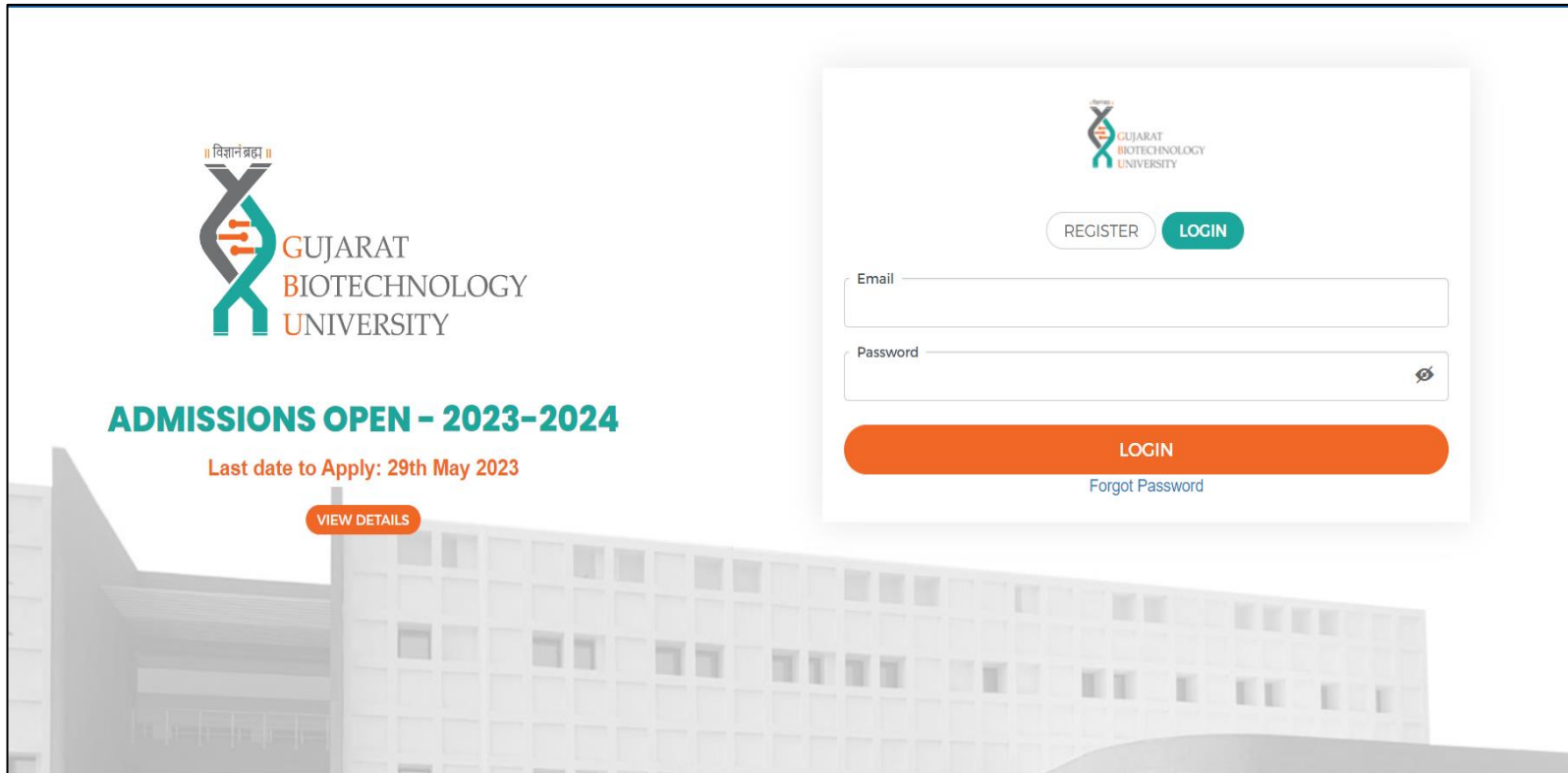
1: Enter your email ID and click on **SEND OTP TO VERIFY** button to generate OTP.

2: Enter the OTP received in box 2 and click on **VERIFY EMAIL** button.

3. Fill in the rest of the details and click on **Register** button.

Step 2: Log in

1. Enter your username and password and click on the **Login** button
2. In case if you have forgotten your credentials, kindly click on the **Forgot Password** link.

Step 3: Application

1. Click on the APPLY NOW button

Fill in all the details as asked in all the sections.

After filling up the details, click the **Next** button. All the information will be saved by default , no need to click on **SAVE & EXIT** button unless you need to exit it.

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Address for Correspondence

Country*
INDIA

State*
Select

City / Village / Landmark
City / Village / Landmark

Address Line 1*
Address 1

Address Line 2
Address 2

Pincode / Zipcode*
Pincode

Is Permanent Address Same As Address For Communication?

YES   NO

Permanent Address

Country*
INDIA

City / Village / Landmark
City / Village / Landmark

Address Line 1*
Address 1

Address Line 2
Address 2

Pincode*
Pincode

PREV   SAVE & EXIT   NEXT

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PREVIEW APPLICATION

Educational Qualification Details

Qualification Details

Either CGPA or Percentage required, or write "0" for either of them.

Exam	Exam Status	Course/Subject	University/Board	CGPA/CPI ⓘ	Percentage ⓘ	Passing Year
Bachelor's Degree	Result Awaited ▲	Course Name	University Name	0	0	Passing Year (Y)

In Case of Result Awaited option, mention cgpa or percenta~~~~~er 5 or previous marksheet data

Select
Result Awaited
Passed

PREV   SAVE & EXIT   NEXT

If you haven't received your results, click on **Result Awaited** button.

Note: In Case of Result Awaited option, mention cgpa or percentage upto semester 5 or previous marksheet data

Step 4: Upload certificates

Upload Documents

Photograph & Signature.

- The images should be in .JPG .PNG format only.
- Minimum resolution of the images should be 350 pixels (Width) X 350 pixels (Height) and Maximum 1000 pixels (Width) X 1000 pixels (Height).
- The size of images must be less than 50 KB.
- Bit depth of the images should be 24 bits.
- This photo will be used on the admissions card and for verification purposes throughout the admissions procedure.

Points to remember:

- Please note that your photograph and signatures should be properly cropped / clear and should not be hazy or illegible.
- The photograph file should contain only your photograph, without any other identifying information, such as autographs.
- The signature file should simply contain your most recent signatures, with no additional information such as the date.
- In the case of low-resolution photos, inappropriate cropping, or the exchange of photograph and signature files, the application may be rejected.

Upload PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPH *

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Max Limit 1024 kb (Only Image & Pdf files allowed)

Upload PROOF OF BIRTH DOCUMENT (Any of the following aadhar card, election card, school leaving certificate)

| Choose File | No file chosen |

Max Limit 1024 kb (Only Image & Pdf files allowed)

Upload GAT-B score card

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Max Limit 1024 kb (Only Image & Pdf files allowed)

Upload CATEGORY CERTIFICATE

| Choose File | No file chosen |

Max Limit 1024 kb (Only Image & Pdf files allowed)

Upload BSc Mark Sheet (In Case of non-availability of final sem result, upload sem 1-5 mark sheet as a single pdf copy)

| Choose File | No file chosen |

Max Limit 1024 kb (Only Image & Pdf files allowed)

Download the filled application.

Click on **MARK COMPLETE** to submit your application.