

**FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs) for NEET (UG) – 2023**

<b>Section I (Changes for NEET (UG) – 2023)</b>												
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Parameter</b>	<b>NEET (UG) - 2023</b>										
1.	<b>Authentication of Mobile Number and e-mail Address</b>	<p>When Candidates register, they have to enter the OTP received at their registered Mobile Number, and before submitting the fees, they have to enter the OTP received at their registered e-mail address.</p> <p>‘Mobile Number’ and ‘E-mail ID’ need to be verified through OTP. Please understand that this is a very important step.</p> <p>Same ‘Mobile Number’ and ‘E-mail ID’ will be utilized for counselling purpose. Students are required to keep it alive and not close it before the counselling process ends.</p> <p>If the ‘Mobile Number’ is international, then an additional number also needs to be provided.</p> <p><b>Mobile number and e-mail address of parent are also being taken and these will be mandatory.</b></p>										
2.	<b>Choice of Cities</b>	<p>While filling up the Online Application Form, candidates should select <b>two Convenient Cities</b> from <b>Appendix-V</b> as their Choice of Cities for the exam Centre in order of their priority.</p> <p>As far as possible, the exam centres are allotted as per the choice of cities of the candidates made in their online Application form.</p> <p>Though every effort will be made to allot a Centre in one of the cities selected by the candidate, the NTA reserves the right to allot a centre in a city other than the candidate’s choice.</p> <p>Allotment of Centres will be done mostly in one of the preferred cities of the candidates and there will be no human intervention.</p>										
3.	<b>Use of Scribe</b>	<p><b>Option is being given to the Candidate for Scribe.</b></p> <p><b>Either NTA may provide or Candidate may bring his/her own Scribe.</b></p> <p><b>Facility of Scribe will also be given to the PwBD candidates with disability less than 40% as per the Section 2(s) of RPwD Act, 2016</b></p>										
4.	<b>Uploading of Address Proof</b>	<p>All candidates will be required to upload address proof (Present and permanent address) during the online Application Form of NEET (UG) – 2023.</p> <p>The address proof may include AADHAAR Card, Domicile Certificate, Passport, Voter ID card, etc.</p> <p>Both documents (proof of Permanent and Present address) are to be merged and uploaded in a single pdf file.</p> <p>If the Present and Permanent addresses are same, then the same document will suffice.</p> <p>If a candidate is staying in a rented accommodation, he/she can upload Rent agreement for proof of present address.</p>										
5.	<b>Application fee</b>	<p>The details of proposed fee for NEET (UG) – 2023 is given below:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;">Category</th> <th style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;">In India (Fee in ₹)</th> <th style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;">Outside India (Fee in ₹)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;"><b>General</b></td> <td style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;"><b>₹ 1700/-</b></td> <td rowspan="3" style="background-color: #f08080; text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;"><b>₹ 9500</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;"><b>General-EWS/OBC-NCL*</b></td> <td style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;"><b>₹ 1600/-</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;"><b>SC/ST/PwBD/Third Gender</b></td> <td style="background-color: #c00000; color: white;"><b>₹ 1000/-</b></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><i>*OBC-NCL (Other Backward Classes)-NCL (Non-Creamy Layer) as per the Central List of Other Backward Classes available on the National Commission for Backward Classes. The candidates falling in this list (available on <a href="http://www.ncbc.nic.in/">http://www.ncbc.nic.in/</a>) may mention OBC-NCL in the Category Column</i></p>	Category	In India (Fee in ₹)	Outside India (Fee in ₹)	<b>General</b>	<b>₹ 1700/-</b>	<b>₹ 9500</b>	<b>General-EWS/OBC-NCL*</b>	<b>₹ 1600/-</b>	<b>SC/ST/PwBD/Third Gender</b>	<b>₹ 1000/-</b>
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6.	<b>Additional Surveillance and Security Measures</b>	Along with the installation of Jammers and CCTV cameras at all examination Centres, it is proposed that additional GPS may be used for locking the trunks in order to enhance the security and secrecy.																										
7.	<b>Policy for Drop question</b>	<p><b>For Section A (MCQs):</b> If none of the options is found correct or a Question is found to be wrong or a Question is dropped then <b>full marks will be awarded to all candidates who have appeared irrespective of the fact whether the question has been attempted or not attempted</b> by the candidate.</p> <p><b>For Section B (MCQs):</b> If a question is found to be incorrect or the Question is dropped then Four marks (+4) will be <b>awarded to all those who have attempted the question.</b> The reason could be due to human error or technical error.</p>																										
8.	<b>Medium of the Examination / Distribution of Question Booklet</b>	<p>Candidates opting for English/Hindi/Regional Languages would be provided Test Booklet in English + Hindi + selected Regional Language.  <i>For Example: If a candidate opted Tamil (out of 13 languages), the Test Booklet would be provided in English + Hindi + Tamil.</i></p> <table border="1" data-bbox="533 804 1493 1361"> <thead> <tr> <th>Medium of Question Paper</th> <th>Examination Centres</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>English</td> <td>All Examination Centres</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi; Urdu</td> <td>All Examination Centres in India</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Assamese; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Assam</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Bengali; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in West Bengal, Tripura, and Andaman &amp; Nicobar Islands</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Gujarati; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Gujarat, Daman &amp; Diu, Dadra &amp; Nagar Haveli</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Kannada; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Karnataka</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Malayalam; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Kerala and Lakshadweep</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Marathi; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Maharashtra</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Odia; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Odisha</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Punjabi; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Punjab, Chandigarh, and Delhi/New Delhi (including Faridabad, Ghaziabad, Gurugram, Meerut, Noida/Greater Noida)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Tamil; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, and Andaman &amp; Nicobar Islands</td> </tr> <tr> <td>English, Hindi and Telugu; Urdu</td> <td>Examination Centres in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Medium of Question Paper	Examination Centres	English	All Examination Centres	English, Hindi; Urdu	All Examination Centres in India	English, Hindi and Assamese; Urdu	Examination Centres in Assam	English, Hindi and Bengali; Urdu	Examination Centres in West Bengal, Tripura, and Andaman & Nicobar Islands	English, Hindi and Gujarati; Urdu	Examination Centres in Gujarat, Daman & Diu, Dadra & Nagar Haveli	English, Hindi and Kannada; Urdu	Examination Centres in Karnataka	English, Hindi and Malayalam; Urdu	Examination Centres in Kerala and Lakshadweep	English, Hindi and Marathi; Urdu	Examination Centres in Maharashtra	English, Hindi and Odia; Urdu	Examination Centres in Odisha	English, Hindi and Punjabi; Urdu	Examination Centres in Punjab, Chandigarh, and Delhi/New Delhi (including Faridabad, Ghaziabad, Gurugram, Meerut, Noida/Greater Noida)	English, Hindi and Tamil; Urdu	Examination Centres in Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, and Andaman & Nicobar Islands	English, Hindi and Telugu; Urdu	Examination Centres in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana
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9.	<b>Umang and DigiLocker</b>	<p>NTA is facilitating to all candidates with an additional platform of <b>UMANG and DigiLocker</b> to download their documents like Confirmation Page, Admit Card, Score Cards, etc.</p> <p><b>Umang App:</b>  You can download UMANG Mobile Application from Android Play Store or Apple App Store.  Open Mobile Application and search for National Testing Agency (NTA).  Select your examination and enter the desired details. Example: Select NEET (UG) 2023 -&gt; Enter Application Number &amp; Date of Birth -&gt; Download Confirmation Page</p> <p><b>DigiLocker:</b>  You can download DigiLocker Mobile Application from Android Play Store or Apple App Store.  Open Mobile Application and search for National Testing Agency (NTA).  Select your examination and enter the desired details.</p> <p><b>The scanned copy of the original OMR Answer Sheet and Score Card of the Candidates of NEET (UG) will be kept in the safe custody of DigiLocker [maintained by the Ministry of Electronics and Information</b></p>																										

**Technology (MeitY)] for the easy access of the same by the respective candidates at : <https://digilocker.gov.in>, on the basis of their consent given at the time of submission of online application.**

**The benefits of DigiLocker includes the following:**

1. *Candidates can access their documents, such as, Confirmation page of the online Application Form, Admit Card, OMR Answer Sheet, Score Card etc. anytime and anywhere from their respective DigiLocker. This is convenient and time saving.*
2. *In case a Candidate forgets his **User ID or Password** to access required information / data from NEET (UG) Portal, he/ she can easily retrieve his/ her Application No. / Registered Mobile No. from his / her DigiLocker account and access the portal.*
3. *DigiLocker makes it easier for the Candidates to validate the authenticity of their documents as they are issued directly by the registered issuers.*

*Self-uploaded documents can be digitally signed using the eSign facility (which is similar to the process of self-attestation).*

### Section-II (General Queries)

S.No	Question	Reply
1.	What is NEET (UG)?	The National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test (NEET) (UG) is being conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA) since 2019 with the approval of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and the Ministry of Human Resource Development (which is now known as the Ministry of Education), in pursuance of the direction of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India vide Judgement dated 22.11. 2018 in C.A. No. 11230 of 2018 in the matter of CBSE Vs. T.K. Rangarajan & Ors. (Para 22).
2.	What is the responsibility of NTA for NEET (UG) - 2023?	The NEET (UG) - 2023 is going to be conducted by NTA as per the Schedule given in the Information at a Glance for admission to MBBS, BDS, BAMS, BSMS, BUMS, and BHMS Courses as per the relevant norms/guidelines/regulations notified by the concerned Regulatory Bodies of the Indian System of Medicine in all Medical Institutions governed under this Act. The responsibility of <b>NTA</b> is limited to inviting online applications, the conduct of the entrance test, declaration of the result, and providing <b>All India Rank (AIR)</b> to the <b>Directorate General of Health Services, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India.</b>
3.	When will the Online Application form for NEET (UG) – 2023 be available on the website?	The Online Application Form for NEET (UG) - 2023 is available from <b>06.03.2023 to 06.04.2023 (up to 09:00 PM)</b> on the website <a href="https://neet.nta.nic.in/">https://neet.nta.nic.in/</a> .
4.	When will NEET (UG) - 2023 Examination be conducted?	Date of Examination: <b>07 May 2023 (Sunday)</b> Duration of Examination: <b>02:00 PM to 05:20 PM</b> (Indian Standard Time)
5.	Whether the examination will be offline or online?	<b>NEET (UG) – 2023</b> is a Pen & Paper-based Test, that needs to be answered on the specially designed machine gradable

		OMR sheet using Ball Point Pen.
6.	How to fill up the 'Online' Application Form for NEET(UG)-2023? Are there any guidelines for the students before filling out the application form?	Yes, instructions to apply online for NEET (UG) - 2023 are available in the Information Bulletin under the heading ' <b>Important Information at Glance</b> '.
7.	<b>Parents/Guardian Income details</b>	Family Annual Income (inclusive of Father's/ Guardian's Gross Annual Income, Mother's/ Guardian's Gross Annual Income, and Annual Income of Father's/ Mother's/ Guardian's from other sources, if any) is a <b>mandatory field</b> .
8.	<b>E-mailing the Confirmation page, Scanned copy of OMR and Scorecard</b>	A copy of the <b>Confirmation Page, Scanned copy of OMR</b> and a copy of the <b>Score Card</b> will be sent to the registered e-mail address of the candidates.
9.	<b>Online Application Form</b>	For ease of the candidates, Application Form has been upgraded so that candidates can fill the Application Form in small sections. The updated process is as below - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Step 1 - <b>Registration Form</b></li> <li>➤ Step 2 - <b>Application Form</b></li> </ul> And this includes filling of personal details, applying for examination cities, qualification details, additional details (if any), and document upload Step 3 - <b>Fee Payment</b> .
10.	<b>Photograph of the Candidate</b>	A provision has been explored for cross-checking of the photograph in real-time during filling in the Online Application Form.
11.	<b>AADHAAR Number</b>	A column/field has been added in the Online Application Form for capturing the <b>AADHAAR number</b> of the candidates and it will be on a voluntary basis.
12.	<b>Negative Marking</b>	There <b>will be Negative Marking for both Sections i.e. Section A and Section B</b> .
13.	<b>Timing/Duration of Examination</b>	Duration of Examination will be <b>200 minutes (03:20 hours) from 02:00 PM to 05:20 PM (Indian Standard Time)</b> and shall be uniform for all candidates.
14.	<b>Tie-Breaking rules</b>	<b>In case of two or more candidates obtaining equal marks/percentile scores in the NEET (UG) - 2023, the inter-se-merit shall be determined as follows:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Candidate obtaining higher marks/percentile score in Biology (Botany &amp; Zoology) in the Test, followed by,</li> <li>b. Candidate obtaining higher marks/percentile score in Chemistry in the Test, followed by,</li> <li>c. Candidate obtaining higher marks/percentile score in Physics in the Test, followed by,</li> <li>d. Candidate with less proportion of the number of attempted incorrect answers and correct answers in all the subjects in the Test,</li> <li>e. Candidate with less proportion of a number of attempted incorrect answers and correct answers in Biology (Botany &amp; Zoology) in the Test, followed by</li> <li>f. Candidate with less proportion of a number of attempted incorrect answers and correct answers in Chemistry in the Test, followed by</li> <li>g. Candidate with less proportion of a number of attempted incorrect answers and correct answers in Physics in the Test, followed by</li> <li>h. Candidate Older in Age, followed by</li> <li>i. Application Number in ascending order</li> </ul>
15.	<b>Left and Right-Hands Impression</b>	Candidates need to upload their both Left and Right hands impression of Fingers and thumbs as per <b>Appendix-XIX</b> .
16.	Is Thumb Impression mandatory while filling NEET (UG)-2023 Application?	Candidates need to upload their both Left and Right hands impression of Fingers and thumbs as per <b>Appendix-XIX</b> in the online Application Form of NEET (UG) - 2023.

17.	What should I do, if 'continuous timeout' or 'file not found error' occurs while filling the online Application Form of NEET (UG)-2023?	Use an updated version of Google Chrome/Mozilla Firefox and a good internet connection while filling out the Application Form. In case of continuous-time out clear cookies and history of the browser and fill in off-peak hours.
18.	Can Candidates require to send/submit any document(s) including Confirmation Page to NTA through Post/ Fax/ By Hand?	Candidates are not required to send/submit any document(s) including Confirmation Page to NTA through Post/Fax/WhatsApp/Email/by Hand.
19.	Is it mandatory to upload GEN-EWS, SC, ST,OBC-NCL, and PwBD certificates?	Yes, GEN-EWS/SC/ST/OBC-NCL/PwBD candidates are required to upload original certificates as per prescribed formats issued by the Competent Authority of their respective State. In case, any candidate does not have the certificate readily available with him/her, he/she can upload the self undertaking as available in the Information Bulletin.
20.	Will NTA reserve its discretion to fix the center in a city which is given in <b>Appendix-V</b> ?	As far as possible, the exam centres are allotted as per the choice of cities of the candidates made in their online Application form. <b>Though every effort will be made to allot a Centre in one of the cities selected by the candidate, the NTA reserves the right to allot a centre in a city other than the candidate's choice.</b> Allotment of Centres will be done mostly in one of the preferred cities of the candidates and there will be no human intervention.
21.	Can a center be allotted by the NTA manually?	No.
22.	In case, the Candidate has uploaded a Blue Signature instead of a Black Signature in the application form of NEET (UG) - 2023. Is it okay?	No, your Application Form will not be rejected merely for this mistake.
23.	Is there any helpline for NEET (UG) - 2023 examination for the aspirants?	Yes. Details of Helpline Numbers and Email are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Helpline Nos.- 01169227700 and 011-40759000</li> <li>E-mail: <a href="https://neet.nta.nic.in/">https://neet.nta.nic.in/</a></li> </ul>
24.	Can the Candidate correct/change his/her particulars including the City of Exam Centre in the Online Application Form?	As per the instructions given to the candidates for filling up their Online Application Form, they are supposed to fill up their particulars in the same care and NTA is not responsible for any mistake committed by them in this regard.
25.	How to download the previous year's question paper for NEET(UG) Examination?	Kindly find the below link mentioned for the previous year's question paper: <a href="https://nta.ac.in/Downloads">https://nta.ac.in/Downloads</a>
26.	Can anyone cancel the application submitted for NEET (UG) - 2023?	Online Application forms once submitted successfully cannot be cancelled/ withdrawn.
27.	Can anyone submit the multiple Application forms with the same mobile no. and Email ID?	For each Application, the <i>e-mail address and Mobile Number will be unique.</i>
28.	Is it mandatory to fill in the Parents/Guardian Income Details?	Yes, Family Annual Income (inclusive of Father's/ Guardian's Gross Annual Income, Mother's/ Guardian's Gross Annual Income, and Annual Income of Father's/ Mother's/ Guardian's from other sources, if any) and it is a mandatory field.

29.	How will the Candidate get the <b>Confirmation Page</b> of the NEET (UG) - 2023?	The Confirmation Page of the online Application Form will be generated only after successful payment of the fee by the Candidate. A copy of the Confirmation Page of NEET (UG) - 2023 will be sent to the registered e-mail address of the Candidates.
30.	If one does not get Admit Card, whom should be contacted?	<i>The Candidates may please note that Admit Cards will not be sent by post.</i> The candidate has to download the Admit Card from the NTA website <a href="https://neet.nta.nic.in/">https://neet.nta.nic.in/</a> . For any assistance, candidates can call the NTA Helpline numbers: 011 40759000 or 011 69227700 or write to NTA at: <a href="mailto:neet@nta.ac.in">neet@nta.ac.in</a>
31.	Can a candidate change the examination center after the allotment of roll number?	City of allotted Examination Centre cannot be changed, in any case. Choice of Centre Cities will be limited to the <b>State of Permanent Address or State of Present Address only</b> .  All candidates are required to upload address proof (Present and permanent address) during the online Application Form of NEET (UG) – 2023. The address proof may include AADHAAR Card, Domicile Certificate, Passport, Voter ID card, etc. Both documents (if applicable) are to be merged and uploaded in a single pdf file. If the Present and Permanent addresses are same, then the same document will suffice.
32.	What documents need to be uploaded during the online application form?	Candidate has to upload the scanned images of the following in JPG /PDF format only, for uploading the same as part of the submission of his/her online application: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Latest Passport size Photograph in JPG format (size: 10 kb to 200 kb)</li> <li>• Post Card size photograph (4” X 6”) in JPG format (Size: 10 kb - 200 kb)</li> <li>• Signature in JPG format (size: 4 kb to 30 kb)</li> <li>• Left and Right Hands Fingers impressions in JPG format (file size: 10 kb to 200 kb). Format for Left &amp; Right hands impression to capture both hand impressions of the candidate for NEET 2023.</li> <li>• Category certificate (SC/ST/OBC-NCL/GEN-EWS etc.) in PDF format (file size: 50 kb to 300 kb)</li> <li>• PwBD certificate in PDF format (file size: 50 kb to 300 kb)</li> <li>• Embassy/Citizenship certificate in PDF format (file size: 50 kb to 300 kb)</li> <li>• Class X passed certificate in PDF format (file size: 50 kb to 300 kb).</li> <li>• The size of address proof of present address and permanent address in PDF format should be between 50 kb to 300 kb (clearly legible).</li> </ul>
33.	What do the candidates need to bring to the exam center?	The candidate will be required to bring the following to the Examination Centre: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Admit Card</li> <li>• Additional passport size photograph same as uploaded on Application Form, which you need to paste on Attendance Sheet</li> <li>• One Postcard size (4’’X 6’’) color photograph affixed on the designated space (page 2) downloaded from the NTA website (a clear print out on A4 size paper) with white background should be pasted on the Proforma downloaded with the Admit Card and should be handed over to Invigilator at the Centre duly filled in</li> </ul>

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34.	What do the candidates not allowed to bring at exam center?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>You are NOT ALLOWED to carry any personal belongings including electronic devices, mobile phones and other banned/ prohibited items listed in the Information Bulletin to the Examination Centre. Examination Officials will not be responsible for the safe keep of personal belongings and there will be no facility.</li> </ul>
35.	Will any candidate be able to leave early if he finishes the test before the allocated test time?	No, the candidate will not be allowed to leave the examination hall/room before the test concludes.
36.	Whether NTA has changed the syllabus of NEET (UG) - 2023?	<p>No, the syllabus of NEET (UG) - 2023 is the same as that of the last year.</p> <p>The syllabus is available in the Information Bulletin available on the website <a href="https://neet.nta.nic.in/">https://neet.nta.nic.in/</a></p> <p>Please do not be misled by false information and fake Notice.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> NMC (National Medical Commission) has notified the syllabus of NEET (UG). The Question Paper will be based on the given syllabus (Appendix-III) which is available on the NMC website (<a href="https://www.nmc.org.in/neet/neet-ug">https://www.nmc.org.in/neet/neet-ug</a>).</p>
37.	Is there any Negative Marking in the NEET (UG) - 2023?	<b>There is negative marking in both Sections i.e. Section A and Section B.</b>
38.	What is the duration/timing/shift of NEET (UG) - 2023	<b>Duration, Shift &amp; Timing of examination is available at Important dates (IMPORTANT INFORMATION AT A GLANCE) in the Information Bulletin of NEET (UG) - 2023. Please refer to Information Bulletin for details.</b>
39.	How will one know the result of the NEET (UG) - 2023?	The result of NEET (UG) - 2023 will be uploaded on the NTA website <a href="http://www.nta.ac.in">www.nta.ac.in</a> and <a href="https://neet.nta.nic.in/">https://neet.nta.nic.in/</a> as per schedule. However, a <i>copy of the Scorecard of NEET (UG) – 2023 will be sent to the registered e-mail address of the Candidates.</i>
<b>Section - III Eligibility Criteria</b>		
40.	What is the minimum eligibility criteria/qualification for appearing in NEET (UG) - 2023?	<p>The students who have received education abroad and wish to seek admission into medical colleges in India must have passed in Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Biotechnology, and English with 50% marks in class 12 and their equivalency determined by the Association of Indian Universities (AIU) as per regulations of the Medical Council of India and the concerned University.</p> <p><i>For more details refer to the Information Bulletin.</i></p>

41.	What is the Eligibility for 15% All India Quota seats?	Indian Nationals, Non-Resident Indians (NRIs), Overseas Citizens of India (OCI), and Foreign Nationals are eligible for 15% of All India Quota Seats.
42.	Is a candidate who has passed class 12 with Physics, Chemistry, Biology, and English subjects from NIOS, eligible to appear for NEET (UG) - 2023?	<p><i>Candidates who have passed Class 12 from Open School or as private candidates shall not be eligible to appear for the 'National Eligibility Cum Entrance Test'. Furthermore, a study of Biology/Biotechnology as an Additional Subject at Class 12 level also shall not be permissible.*</i></p> <p><i>*The candidates who have passed Class 12 level with Biology as an additional subject will also be eligible for MBBS Entrance Examination (as per Hon'ble High Court Order No. 2341/-W/DHC/WRIT/D-1/2019 dated 24/09/2019 in the Writ Petition (C) No. 6773/2019.</i></p> <p><b>*(NOTE: The proviso in italics has been a subject matter of challenge before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi, Hon'ble High Court of Allahabad, Lucknow Bench, and Hon'ble High Court of Madhya Pradesh at Jabalpur. The provisions of the regulations disqualifying recognized Open School Board candidates and the candidates who have studied Biology/Biotechnology as an Additional Subject has been struck down. The Medical Council of India has preferred Special Leave Petitions before the Hon'ble Supreme Court and Appeals in the Hon'ble High Courts. Therefore, the candidature of candidates in the NEET (UG) - 2023 who have passed the qualifying examinations i.e. Class 12 from National Institute of Open Schooling or State Open Schools or as private candidates from recognized State Boards; or with Biology/Biotechnology as an additional subject shall be allowed but subject to the outcome of Special Leave Petitions/Appeals filed by the Medical Council of India)</b></p>
43.	What are the Qualifications to appear in the Test?	<p>To be eligible for NEET (UG) – 2023, candidates need to refer to the Qualifications and Qualifying Examination Codes mentioned in Para 5.4, chapter 5 of the Information Bulletin of NEET (UG) - 2023.</p> <p>Those candidates who have passed class XII should fill Code [02 to 07] against the column provided for the Qualifying Examination. If a candidate does not fall within the qualifications prescribed as per Code numbers 02 to 07, then the candidate needs to furnish complete details under the column 'others'.</p> <p>Candidates appearing in Class 12 in 2023 should select a qualifying code as 01.</p>
44.	What are the age limit/relaxation criteria for the candidates appearing in NEET (UG) - 2023?	<p>Eligibility for appearing in NEET (UG) is as per related Regulations is as follows: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. <b>Lower Age limit:</b> He/she has completed the age of 17 years at the time of admission or will complete that age on or before 31 December of the year of his/her admission to the first year Undergraduate Medical Courses.</li> <li>ii. <b>Upper Age limit:</b> As per Letter No. <b>U-11022/2/2022-UGMEB, dated 09 March 2022</b> received from National Medical Commission (NMC), Under Graduate Medical Education Board (UGMEB) regarding the upper age limit, there is no upper age limit.</li> </ol> <p>For more details, please refer to Chapter 5 of the Information Bulletin.</p>



45.	How do I accept the choice of attempting <b>Ten Questions in Section B</b> and what will be the pattern of the <b>Question paper and OMR sheet</b> ?	<p>The Test pattern of NEET (UG) - 2023 comprises four Subjects. Each subject will consist of <b>two sections</b>. Section A will consist of <b>35 Questions</b> and Section B will have <b>15 Questions</b>, out of these 15 Questions, candidates can choose to attempt any <b>10 Questions</b>. So, the total number of questions and utilization of time will remain the same.</p> <p><b>Section A</b> shall consist of 35 (Thirty-five) Questions in each subject (Question Nos – 1 to 35, 51 to 85, 101 to 135, and 151 to 185). All questions are compulsory.</p> <p><b>Section B</b> shall consist of 15 (Fifteen) questions in each subject (Question Nos – 36 to 50, 86 to 100, 136 to 150, and 186 to 200). In Section B, a candidate needs to attempt any 10 (Ten) questions out of 15 (Fifteen) in each subject.</p> <p><i>Candidates are advised to read all 15 questions in each subject of Section B before they start attempting the question paper. In the event of a candidate attempting more than ten questions, the first ten questions answered by the candidate shall be evaluated.</i></p>
46.	What will be the medium of the Question paper?	<p>Medium of Question Paper:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Candidates opting for English/Hindi/Regional Languages would be provided Test Booklet in English + Hindi + selected Regional Language.</li> </ul> <p><i>For Example: If a candidate opted Tamil (out of 13 languages), the Test Booklet would be provided in English + Hindi + Tamil.</i></p>
47.	Whether the NEET (UG) - 2023 will be held in a different medium?	<p>Yes, drawing from the National Education Policy (NEP), the NEET (UG) - 2023 will be conducted in <i>Assamese, Bengali, Gujarati, Kannada, Malayalam, Marathi, Odia, Punjabi, Tamil, Telugu, Urdu in addition to Hindi and English.</i></p>
48.	Does NTA have an exemption for the Divyangjan candidates?	<p>Yes, As per the guidelines issued by the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan) under the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment issued from time to time on the subject: “Written Examination for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities”, for the candidate with one of the benchmark disabilities [as defined in Section 2(r) of RPwD Act, 2016], holding a Disability Certificate in the prescribed format (Appendix – XI) in the Rights of Person with Disabilities Rules,2017</p> <p><i>(link:https://upload.indiacode.nic.in/showfile?actid=AC_CEN_25_54_00002_201649_1517807328299&amp;type=rule&amp;filename=Rules_notified_15.06.pdf).</i></p> <p>a. <i>The <b>facility of Scribe</b>, in case he/she has a physical limitation and a scribe is essential to write the examination on his/her behalf, being so certified in the aforesaid format by a CMO/Civil Surgeon/ Medical Superintendent of a Government Health Care Institution.</i></p> <p>b. <i><b>Compensatory time</b> of one hour five minutes for examination of three hours twenty minutes (03:20 hrs) duration for PwBD Candidate [having a physical limitation to write] will be given, whether such candidate uses the facility of Scribe or not.</i></p>

		For more details, please refer to the Information Bulletin of NEET (UG) – 2023 which is available on the NTA website: <a href="https://neet.nta.nic.in/">https://neet.nta.nic.in/</a> .
49.	For the academic year 2023-24, admissions under MEA (Welfare) quota seats shall be based on the NEET (UG)?	Yes, for admission to MBBS seats against MEA Quota, the candidate needs to appear for NEET (UG).
50.	What is the validity of the Category Certificate (SC/ST/OBC-NCL/GEN-EWS.) and PwD certificate?	In this regard, please follow the rules of relevant admitting institutions.
51.	In case of foreign nationals candidates (OCI/PIO), what will be the pin code in the address section?	Such candidates are required to put 000000 in the field of Pin Code.
<b>Section-IV Fee/Payment Queries</b>		
52.	How can one remit fee for NEET (UG) - 2023?	The examination fee for NEET (UG) - 2023 can be remitted in the following manner:  Through any Debit/Credit/UPI Card using SBI/Canara/HDFC/ICICI/ on-line gateway payment facility/ Net Banking.
53.	If any candidate faces any problem in remittance of fee due to failed transaction, what can he/she do?	If the payment status of an online transaction (by credit/debit card) is not communicated by the payment gateway in real time then fee payment is not completed and the candidate will not be able to download the Acknowledgement page. In this case, the candidate is required to pay the fee again through online mode and download the acknowledgment page. The amount due to failed transaction of credit/debit card will be refunded back after the declaration of the result of NEET (UG) – 2023.  The candidate may go through the Appendix-XVIII(given in Information Bulletin) to know procedure for Online Payment of Fee and Helpline for payment related queries.

<b>Section V - Queries regarding Address Proof</b>		
S. No.	Query	Reply
1.	I am a permanent resident of Bihar state and now studying in Kota for preparation. What document can be uploaded as a proof of present and permanent address?	For present address, candidate can upload his / <b>her School ID Card, Rent agreement, Bank Passbook</b> etc.  For permanent address, candidate can upload <b>AADHAAR Card, Passport, Voter ID, domicile certificate, Ration Card, Electricity Bill / Water Bill</b> , etc.
2.	I do not have any document for proof of Present Address. Can I make an Affidavit for the same?	An Affidavit can be made from Court mentioning that the candidate is staying in this address for a specific period may be uploaded for proof of present address in case a candidate is not able to upload AADHAAR Card / School ID Card / Rent Agreement / Bank Passbook, etc.
3.	My permanent and present addresses are same. Do I need to upload same document twice?	If present and permanent addresses are same, then one document will suffice.

4.	Do I need to upload proof of present and permanent address separately?	Proof of Present and permanent addresses are to be merged in a single pdf file and that file is to be uploaded once. The size of pdf file should be from <b>50 to 300 kB</b> .
5.	Can a Rent agreement may be used for present address proof?	If a candidate is staying in a rented accommodation, then a valid rent agreement may be used for uploading as a proof of present address.
6.	Can a certificate from Guardian / Father / Mother be used as an Address proof for Present or Permanent address?	In case, Guardian / Mother / Father got transferred in another city and candidate is staying with him / her, then certificate from Guardian / Father / Mother can be used as an Address proof for Present address?