

KUFOS FYUGP ENTRANCE EXAMINATION 2026–27

Guidelines for Candidates

The Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies (KUFOS) will conduct the Entrance Examination for admission to the Four-Year Undergraduate Programmes (FYUGP) and Five-Year Integrated Programmes (FYIPGP) for the Academic Year 2026–27 on **05th July 2026 (Sunday)** through a **Computer-Based Test (CBT)** mode at designated centres in **Kozhikode, Ernakulam and Thiruvananthapuram**. Candidates are advised to read the following instructions carefully and comply with them strictly. Hall ticket for the examination will be available for download in the admission portal under candidate login from **27.06.2026 onwards**.

1. Examination Schedule

Paper	Subject	Time
Paper 1	Physics & Chemistry	10.00 AM – 11.00 AM
Paper 2	Botany & Zoology	11.00 AM – 12.00 Noon
Paper 3	Mathematics	12.00 Noon – 1.00 PM
Paper 4	Quantitative Aptitude, Logical Reasoning, English Language, General Awareness, and Business Aptitude	2 PM – 4 PM
Morning Session: Science		
Consists of 4 parts		
1	Basic Data	Mandatory paper
2	Part I - Physic & Chemistry	Mandatory paper
3	Part II - Botany & Zoology	Optional paper based on courses selected
4	Part III - Mathematics	Optional paper based on courses selected
Aftern Session : BBA		
Consists of 4 parts		
1	Basic Data	Mandatory paper
2	Part I - Quantitative Aptitude, Logical Reasoning	Mandatory paper
3	Part II - English Language & General Awareness	Mandatory paper
4	Part III - Business Aptitude	Mandatory paper

Reporting Time

- Candidates appearing for Papers 1, 2 and/or 3 shall report to the examination centre by **9.00 AM**.
- Candidates appearing **only for Paper 4 (BBA programmes)** may report by **1.00 PM**.
- Reporting points will be closed at the prescribed time. No candidate will be permitted to register or enter the examination hall after closure of reporting.

2. Programme-wise Examination Requirement

A. Integrated Masters program in Food Science and Technology (FYIPGP)

B. Integrated Masters program in Marine Biology (FYIPGP)

Candidates seeking admission to the above programmes shall **mandatorily appear for:**

- Paper 1 (Physics & Chemistry)
- Paper 2 (Botany & Zoology)

The scores obtained in Papers 1 and 2 will be combined for preparation of the rank list.

C. Bachelors program (Honours/Research) in Ocean Science (FYUGP)

D. Integrated Masters program in Climate Science and Data Analytics (FYIPGP)

Candidates seeking admission to the above programmes shall **mandatorily appear for:**

- Paper 1 (Physics & Chemistry)
- Paper 3 (Mathematics)

The scores obtained in Papers 1 and 3 will be combined for preparation of the rank list.

E. BBA (Honours/Research)

Candidates seeking admission to BBA programmes shall appear for:

- Paper 4 only

Ranking for BBA admission will be based solely on the score obtained in Paper 4.

Candidates Applying for Multiple Programmes

Candidates who have applied for more than one programme must appear for all the relevant papers required for the programmes for which they seek admission.

3. Examination Pattern

Paper 1 – Physics & Chemistry

- Physics: 25 Questions
- Chemistry: 25 Questions
- Total: 50 Questions

Paper 2 – Botany & Zoology

- Total: 50 Questions

Paper 3 – Mathematics

- Total: 50 Questions

Paper 4 – BBA Entrance Test

- Quantitative Aptitude: 20 Questions
- Logical Reasoning: 25 Questions
- English Language: 20 Questions
- General Awareness: 20 Questions
- Business Aptitude & Economics: 15 Questions
- Total: 100 Questions

All questions will be **Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)** with four options and one correct answer.

4. Marking Scheme

- Each correct answer carries **4 marks**.
- **1 mark will be deducted** for every incorrect answer.
- No marks will be awarded or deducted for unanswered questions.

Candidates are therefore advised to answer carefully and avoid random guessing.

5. Admit Card and Verification

1. Candidates shall download and print the Admit Card from the admission portal

2. Entry to the examination hall will be permitted only upon production of a valid Admit Card.
3. Candidates without a valid Admit Card will not be allowed to appear for the examination.

6. Computer-Based Test (CBT)

1. The entrance examination will be conducted entirely through a Computer-Based Test (CBT) system.
2. Candidates shall receive an access card containing:
 - Examination Hall details
 - Username
 - Password
3. Candidates shall occupy only the seat allotted to them.

7. Instructions Inside the Examination Hall

1. Candidates shall sign the Attendance Sheet and record their seat number as instructed by the Invigilator.
2. A rough-work sheet will be provided in the examination hall.
3. Candidates must write their Name and Roll Number on the rough sheet and sign it.
4. The rough sheet must be returned to the Invigilator before leaving the hall.
5. Candidates appearing for Paper 3 shall remain in the examination hall after completion of Paper 1 and continue with the subsequent papers as scheduled.
6. Once admitted into the examination hall, candidates will not be permitted to leave before completion of the examination session.

8. Prohibited Items

Candidates shall not bring any of the following into the examination hall:

- Mobile phones
- Smart watches or electronic watches
- Calculators
- Bluetooth devices
- Earphones or communication devices
- Electronic gadgets of any kind
- Books, notes or study materials
- Printed or written materials
- Any other unauthorized item

Possession of any prohibited item may lead to disqualification.

9. Unfair Means and Malpractice

1. Any form of malpractice or unfair conduct will result in disqualification.
2. Candidates shall not communicate with other candidates during the examination.
3. Gestures, conversations, exchange of materials or any suspicious activity will be treated as malpractice and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the KUFOS Prospectus and examination regulations.

10. Assistance During Examination

Candidates may contact the Centre Superintendent or Invigilator for:

- Technical difficulties with the computer system
- Login issues
- First-aid requirements
- Clarification regarding examination procedures
- Any other assistance related to the conduct of the examination

11. General Advice to Candidates

- Reach the examination centre well before the reporting time.
- Verify the examination centre and route in advance.
- Carry the Admit Card and any other document specified by KUFOS.
- Read all instructions displayed on the computer screen carefully before answering.
- Manage time effectively across all sections.
- Maintain discipline and follow instructions of the examination officials at all times.

KUFOS wishes all candidates the very best for the Entrance Examination and looks forward to welcoming successful candidates to its undergraduate and integrated programmes.