

Chapter-2

[Examination Scheme]

2. UGC-NET June 2026

The UGC-NET June 2026 will be conducted in Computer Based Test (CBT) mode as per the time schedule specified in the Information at a glance, in the Subjects given at (refer to **Appendix-II**) in selected Cities spread across the Country (refer to **Appendix-III**).

2.1 Mode of Examination

The Examination shall be conducted in **Computer Based Test (CBT) mode** only.

2.2 Pattern of Examination

The Test paper will consist of two sections, both the sections will consist of objective type, multiple-choice questions. There will be no break between the papers.

Part	Marks	Number of Questions	MCQ	Total duration
I	100	50	The questions in Part – I intends to assess the teaching/ research aptitude of the candidate. It will primarily be designed to test reasoning ability, reading comprehension, divergent thinking and general awareness of the Candidate.	03 hours (180 minutes) without any break. All the questions are compulsory.
II	200	100	This is based on the subject selected by the candidate and will assess domain knowledge.	

2.3 Subject and Syllabus of Test

The List of Subjects and their Codes for UGC-NET June 2026 are given at **Appendix -II**.

Syllabus for all NET Subjects can be downloaded from the UGC website: <https://www.ugcnetonline.in/syllabus-new.php>. The National Testing Agency will not provide the copy of syllabus to any candidate.

2.4 Medium of Question Paper

- (i) The medium of Question Paper shall be in English & Hindi only, except language papers.
- (ii) Option for medium of Question Paper should be carefully chosen by the Candidate, while filling the Application Form online. The option once exercised cannot be changed.
- (iii) Candidates are required to answer in the medium as per option exercised in the Application Form.
- (iv) In case of any ambiguity in translation/construction of a question in the exam, **its English version shall be treated as final and the decision of NTA shall be final in this regard.**

2.5 Marking Scheme

1. To answer a question, the candidate needs to choose one option as the correct option.
2. Each question carries 02 (two) marks.
3. For each correct response, the candidate will get 02 (two) marks.
4. There is no negative marking for incorrect response.
5. No marks will be given for questions un-answered/un-attempted/marked for Review.
6. While every effort will be made to ensure that each question has one unique answer, in case, it is found that a question has more than one option, it will be dealt with in following manner:
 - a) If more than one option is found to be correct, then Two marks (+2) will be awarded to only those who have marked any of the correct options.
 - b) If all options are found to be correct, then Two marks (+2) will be awarded to all those who have attempted the question.
 - c) If none of the options is found correct or a Question is found to be wrong or a Question is dropped, then two marks (+2) will be awarded to only to those candidates who have attempted the question. The reason could be due to human error or technical error. **Since there is no negative marking, candidate needs to choose one most appropriate option as correct answer.**