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(An Autonomous Organization under the Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India)

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Subject: NTA Declares the Result / NTA Scores of National Common Entrance Test (NCET) 2026 - reg.

1. The National Testing Agency (NTA) has been entrusted by **National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE)** with the responsibility of conducting the **National Common Entrance Test (NCET) 2026** for admission to the **4-Year Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)** in selected Central/State Universities/Institutions including IITs, NITs, RIEs, and Government Colleges for the **Academic Session 2026-27**.
2. The NCET - 2026 was conducted on **17 and 18 April 2026** in **Computer Based Test (CBT)** mode in **145 cities** across the country in three shifts.

Date of Exam	Paper	Registered Candidates	Appeared Candidates	Attendance (%)
17 th & 18 th April 2026	NCET-2026	73,608	58,995	80.14

3. The NCET-2026 provided access and flexibility in the following ways:
 - In total 66 subjects (38 languages, 26 Domain-Specific Subjects, Teaching Aptitude and General Test) were offered for the candidates in the NCET 2026.
 - 141 unique Question Papers and 982 total Question Papers, including 13 Languages (total 22,929 questions), were administered.
 - This multilingual approach was designed to ensure that candidates from different regions could comfortably take the exam in their preferred medium.
4. The role of NTA is confined to the registration of candidates, the conduct of the test, hosting answer keys, inviting challenges, finalizing answer keys, preparing and declaring results, hosting score cards, and handing over the result/score data to the NCTE.
5. The score data of all candidates who appeared in the examination is being shared with the 'National Council of Teacher's Education' (NCTE) for admission to the 4-Year ITEP. For the academic session 2026-27, 223 institutions (The list of institutions is available in Appendix-I of the Information Bulletin on the website <https://exams.nta.nic.in/ncet/>) across the country have been approved by the NCTE.
6. Candidates were given the opportunity to view their responses and challenge the Provisional Answer Keys between **28 April and 30 April 2026**. Challenges received online were placed before the expert panel for verification. The result is prepared based on the final Answer keys vetted by the subject experts, and the same have been published on the official website: <https://exams.nta.nic.in/ncet/>. The results / NTA Scores for the NCET 2026 are being declared



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today i.e. 04 June 2026. The candidates can view/download their Score Card by login using their Application Number and Password on the website <https://exams.nta.nic.in/nctef/>.

7. Summary of NCET- 2026:

a) Category wise No. of Candidates Registered and Appeared for NCET - 2026:

Category Name	Registered	Appeared
General	23,813	19,272
Gen-EWS	3,877	3,335
OBC-(NCL)	27,238	22,227
SC	10,402	7,952
ST	8,278	6,209
Total	73,608	58,995

b) Gender-wise Number of Candidates Registered and Appeared for NCET-2026:

Gender	Registered	Appeared
Female	47,850	38,671
Male	25,758	20,324
Grand Total	73,608	58,995

c) Number of PwD candidates Registered and Appeared for NCET-2026:

PwD/PwBD	Registered	Appeared
Number of Candidates	592	506

8. The entire examination was conducted smoothly and successfully. For further clarification related to NCET - 2026, the candidates can contact 011- 40759000 or write to NTA at nctef@nta.ac.in.
9. NTA thanks all the Central Government Agencies, State and District Authorities, various examination functionaries and the candidates for the support extended during the successful conduct of the NCET 2026.

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