

2020

FAQs

ARPIT -2020 EXAMINATION



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FAQs-ARPIT

GENERAL

Q. What is ARPIT?

A. The Ministry of Education (MoE) has officially launched online Annual Refresher Programme in Teaching (ARPIT) on 13th November, 2018, initiative of Online Professional Development of 15 lakhs Higher Education Faculty using the MOOC's* platform SWAYAM*. For implementing ARPIT, 75 discipline-specific National Resource Centres (NRCs) were identified in the year 2018 and 48 discipline-specific National Resource Centres (NRCs) in the year 2019, which were tasked to prepare online training material with focus on latest developments in the discipline, new & emerging trends, pedagogical improvements, and methodologies for transacting revised curriculum. For ARPIT 2020, Ministry decided to re-run ARPIT 2019 courses in ARPIT 2020. The training materials is uploaded and made available through SWAYAM. The ARPIT will revolutionize professional development of faculty by catering to massive numbers by leveraging ICT and Online Technology platform of SWAYAM.

***MOOC's -Massive Open Online Course**

***SWAYAM - Study Web and Active Learning by Young and Aspiring minds.**

Q. What benefit will accrue after successful completion of ARPIT?

A. After completion of ARPIT- 2020 course, an online exam will be conducted. After successful completion of ARPIT- 2020 Exam, the learner will be issued certificate of completion of course. Successful completion of one ARPIT course with certificate will be equivalent to one refresher course of UGC for Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) as notified by the latest gazette of UGC (DO Letter No. F.2-16/2002(PS)Pt.f.II dated 3rd December, 2018).

Q. Who is eligible for the ARPIT exam?

A. The ARPIT-2020 Exam, to be conducted by National Testing Agency (NTA), is designed especially for faculty learner to upgrade their skills. However, Non-Faculty Learners who wish to enhance their knowledge can also appear for the exam. (Certificate for Non-Faculty learner will be different from the certificate issued to Faculty Learner).

Note: Only those learners who has registered for ARPIT- 2020 courses and undertaken the course will be eligible for ARPIT 2020 Exam.

Q. Why a candidate is required to register with NTA?

A. Registration for ARPIT-2020 Exam is a mandatory pre-requisite for appearing in online ARPIT Examination conducted by the NTA.

Q. Can a candidate register for more than one course-exam at a time?

A. Please note that learner would be able to appear in ARPIT-2020 Exam for only one course in each slot i.e. learner can appear for a maximum of two exams spread across two slots. Those

learners who are doing multiple courses should ensure that the courses that they are choosing for examination are in different slots.

Q. How can a candidate get registered with the NTA?

A. Step by step procedure for ARPIT Exam registration can be accessed at link – <https://arpit.nta.nic.in/> also read the instructions before filling up the form from the NTA website.

Q. What are the documents to be attached with Registration Form?

A. **Faculty Learner:** The faculty has to upload the photograph, signature and the relevant proof of being a faculty member like Faculty ID Proof/ Appointment Letter/Latest Pay slip/Promotion Order.

Further, Candidate is advised to bring original documents (uploaded on registration form) along with one photocopy at the exam centre for verification.

Non-Faculty Learner: The Non Faculty Learner has to upload the photograph, signature and the proof / certificate of learner belonging to SC/ST/OBC/PWD/ Women/Transgender/EWS issued by competent authority (valid and non-expired), in case concession of fee is required.

Further, Candidate is advised to bring original of uploaded documents along with one photocopy at the exam centre for verification.

Note: Besides above mentioned documents, faculty and non-faculty learners are required to carry any one of original **Photo** Identification Card (valid and non-expired) viz. Voter Identification Card, Driving License, PAN Card, Passport or Aadhaar Card / School or College ID Card.

Q. How do I check the status of my Registration Application to any course?

A. Registration application status can be checked in the online Portal <https://arpit.nta.nic.in/> by mentioning enrolment id and Application number received during the filling up the Online Registration Application Form (ORAF)

Q. How I will get my Enrolment id?

A. AICTE will send the enrollment ID to the registered learners.

Q. How to select my choice of city for examination while filling-up of Online Registration Application Form?

A. While filling the Online Registration Application Form, the list of choice of city for examination will be available in the drop-down menu in the online form, the candidate can select four city for examination in the order of preference from the list.

Q. What are the steps to be followed while filling up Online Registration Application Form?

A. The requisite step by step procedure for filling Online Application is available on the Online Portal www.arpit.nta.nic.in

Q. How much is the Examination Fee?

A. **Faculty Learner:** In case of Faculty Learner, who are working in any of the Indian Higher Educational Institutions, there won't be any Examination Fee.

Non-Faculty Learner: The Examination Fee for Non-Faculty Learner for each course is Rs. 1000/-for General candidates and Rs. 500/-for SC/ST/OBC/EWS/Women/Transgender/PwD candidates with disability $\geq 40\%$.

Note: Due care should be taken in choosing the option of Faculty and Non-Faculty learner while filling registration form otherwise certificate will not be issued.

Q. How can I know whether my application has been considered or not?

A. You will get confirmation page after completion and submission of your application. For future reference please download, store and take a print out of the Confirmation page.

Q. If I missed the last date of registration, can I go for the same by paying some late fee or penalty?

A. There is no such provision.

Q. If I miss the examination after registration for ARPIT -2020 Exam, when can I appear next.

A. You can appear only in re-examination, dates of which will be intimated later through NTA-ARPIT website.

TRANSFER/ SHIFTING OF REGISTRATION

Q. I am registered for one exam but I want to appear in another exam of another course for which also I am registered?

A. Please note that learner would be able to choose only one course for ARPIT 2020 Exam in each slot i.e. learner can appear for a maximum of two exams spread across two slots. Those learners who are doing multiple courses should ensure that the courses that they are choosing for examination are in different slots.

VALIDITY OF REGISTRATION

Q. What is the period of Registration?

A. The Registration starts from 03rd February, 2021 till 03rd March, 2021

Q. What is the remedy if a candidate fails to qualify the paper?

A. The candidate can appear for the re-Examination.

Q. What is a last date for Registration?

A. 03rd March, 2021.

Q. I am yet to get any Admit card issued to me by the NTA.

A. Visit the website: arpit.nta.nic.in.

MISCELLANEOUS

Q. Is the courses offered by the AICTE/SWAYAM recognized by the Government?

A. Yes, the ARPIT course is recognized by the UGC for CAS benefit vide notification no. [DO Letter No. F.2-16/2002\(PS\)Pt.fl.II dated 3rd December, 2018](#)

Q. Is candidate permissible to apply Offline for ARPIT Examination?

A. Candidates can apply for ARPIT Examination “**Online**” only. No offline application will be entertained.

Q. ARPIT Examination would be online or offline and what will be the duration of Exam?

A. The exam would be entirely Computer-Based Test (CBT) of 3 hours duration.

Q. Whether ARPIT Examination would be Objective or Subjective?

A. Objective

Q. Will there be any negative marking?

A. No.

Q. Question paper would consist of how many marks?

A. 100 marks

Q. Whether any correction in ARPIT Examination Registration Form is possible?

A. Opportunity for correction of profile data of learner will be provided on 05th March, 2021 to 08th March, 2021.

Q. What are the helpline E-mail IDs/contact nos.?

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- Helpline No.:0120-6895200
 - E-mail: arpit@nta.ac.in
- Website: www.nta.ac.in / arpit.nta.nic.in

Important Dates

Particulars	Date
Availability of Information Bulletin	03.02.2021
Availability of FAQs	03.02.2021
Availability of Important Instructions	03.02.2021
Registration Start Date	03.02.2021
Registration End Date	03.03.2021
Application form Correction window	05.03.2021-08.03.2021
Issue of Admit card – Start Date	25.03.2021
Examination Date	10.04.2021
Declaration of CBT Result	Will be intimated later