## **NOTIFICATION**

Andhra Pradesh State Eligibility Test (APSET-2018) for the Year 2018 will be conducted by Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, in accordance with G.O.Ms.No.47 Higher Education (CE) Department for recruitment and promotions of Lectures/Assistant Professors in Degree Colleges as per the University Grant Commission Regulations for the year 2018. Eligible Candidates who wish to apply for APSET-2018 may submit their applications through online mode (apset.net.in). The registration fee of Rs. 1000/- (for General Category), Rs. 800/- (for B.C. category) and Rs. 500/- (for SC/ST/PH/VH category) be paid through payment gateway (Credit card/ Debit card/ Net banking).

The important dates are:

APSET Notification	18 <sup>th</sup> March 2018
Commencement of Submission of Online Applications	26 <sup>th</sup> March 2018
Last date for Submission of Online Applications Without Late Fee	2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2018
(Only Registration Fee)	
With a Late fee of Rs. 1,000 + Registration Fee	10 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
With a Late fee of Rs. 2,000 + Registration Fee	21 <sup>st</sup> May 2018
With a Late fee of Rs. 5,000 + Registration Fee (Examination centre at	6 <sup>th</sup> June 2018
Visakhapatnam only)	
Date of examination	1 <sup>st</sup> July 2018

The examination is conducted in 6 regional centres namely, 1)Visakhapatnam 2)Rajamahendravaram (Rajamundry) 3)Guntur 4)Nellore 5)Ananthapur and 6) Thirupati.

The APSET-2017 examination is conducted in 3	1 subjects for v	which UGC has grante	ed permission. The
list of subjects is as follows:			

1	Archaeology	12	Hindi	23	Physical Education
2	Anthropology	13	History	24	Political Sciences
3	Chemical Sciences	14	Journalism & Mass		Psychology
			Communication		
4	Commerce	15	Law	26	Public Administration
5	Computer Science &	16	Linguistics	27	Sanskrit
	Applications				
6	Economics	17	Life Sciences	28	Sociology
7	Education	18	Library & Information	29	Social work
			Science		
8	English	19	Management	30	Telugu
9	Earth, Atmospheric, Ocean	20	Mathematical Sciences	31	Urdu
	and Planetary Sciences				
10	Environmental Science	21	Philosophy		
11	Geography	22	Physical Sciences		

The question paper - I which is common for all candidates appearing APSET will be bilingual (English and Telugu). Paper – II for the following subjects a) Commerce b) Economics c) Education d) History e) political Science f) Public administration g) Sociology and h) Social work will be bilingual (English and Telugu). All the remaining papers are in English only.

The syllabus prescribed by UGC-CSIR and UGC-NET for paper-I and Paper-II without negative marks be adopted for APSET. The Paper II & III are merged to become Paper-II.

## **Examination Pattern:**

Paper	Marks	Number of Questions	Duration
Ι	100	50	1 Hour (09:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M.)
II	200	100	2 Hours (11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.)

**Paper-I** shall be of general nature, intended to assess the teaching/research aptitude of the candidate. It will primarily be designed to test reasoning ability, comprehension, divergent thinking and general awareness of the candidate. **Paper-I** shall consist of 50 objective type questions. Each question will carry 2 marks.

**Paper-II** shall consist of 100 objective type questions based on the subject selected by the candidate. Each question will carry 2 marks.

The candidate will have to mark the responses for questions of Paper – I and Paper - II on the Optical Mark Reader (OMR) Sheet provided along with the test booklet.

There is no negative marking.

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