



**TANUVAS**

# **2025-2026** **POSTGRADUATE** **DEGREE PROGRAMME** **PROSPECTUS**



## **PROGRAMMES:**

- MASTER'S DEGREE
- PhD DEGREE
- PG DIPLOMA

**TAMIL NADU VETERINARY AND  
ANIMAL SCIENCES UNIVERSITY**

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## Admission to Postgraduate degree programmes - 2025-2026

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

**Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University (TANUVAS)**, the first of its kind in India, was established in the year 1989. TANUVAS, in its 36<sup>th</sup> year of existence, desires to be an institution of international eminence, continues to strive in ensuring excellence in education, research and extension in the fields of veterinary, animal and food sciences. The University develops innovations and disseminates scientific knowledge and skill for enhancing livestock and poultry productivity through the use of technologies of social, economic and environmental relevance by adopting a team approach.

**TANUVAS offers 24 Postgraduate and 21 Ph.D. programmes in various disciplines of Veterinary and Animal Sciences at its constituent colleges, as detailed below:**

1. *Madras Veterinary College, Chennai – 600 007*
2. *Veterinary College and Research Institute, Namakkal – 637 002*
3. *Veterinary College and Research Institute, Tirunelveli - 627 358*
4. *Veterinary College and Research Institute, Orathanadu, Thanjavur – 614 625*

**TANUVAS offers 6 M.Tech and 4 Ph.D. programmes in various disciplines of Food Sciences at its constituent colleges, as detailed below:**

















1. *College of Food and Dairy Technology, Koduveli, Chennai – 600 052*
2. *College of Poultry Production and Management, Hosur – 635 110*

**TANUVAS offers 6 PG Diploma programmes in regular mode at its constituent college, as detailed below:**




1. *Madras Veterinary College, Chennai*

## 2. CONSTITUENT COLLEGES OF TANUVAS

### CONSTITUENT COLLEGES - VETERINARY AND ANIMAL SCIENCES

<b>Madras Veterinary College</b> Vepery Chennai – 600 007	 044 – 25304000 / 25360506  <a href="mailto:deanmvc@tanuvas.org.in">deanmvc@tanuvas.org.in</a>  <a href="https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/mvc_intro.php">https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/mvc_intro.php</a>	
<b>Veterinary College and Research Institute</b> Laddivadi Namakkal – 637002	 04286 – 266491/92/93  <a href="mailto:deanvcric@tanuvas.org.in">deanvcric@tanuvas.org.in</a>  <a href="https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/nkl_intro.php">https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/nkl_intro.php</a>	
<b>Veterinary College and Research Institute</b> Ramayanpatti Tirunelveli – 627358	 0462 – 2336345 / 2330675 / 2330775  <a href="mailto:deanvcritni@tanuvas.org.in">deanvcritni@tanuvas.org.in</a>  <a href="https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/tirunel_intro.php">https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/tirunel_intro.php</a>	
<b>Veterinary College and Research Institute</b> Orathanadu Thanjavur – 614625	 04372 – 234012/234013  <a href="mailto:deanvcricond@tanuvas.org.in">deanvcricond@tanuvas.org.in</a>  <a href="https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/ond_intro.php">https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/ond_intro.php</a>	

### CONSTITUENT COLLEGES- TECHNOLOGY (FOOD, DAIRY & POULTRY)

<b>College of Food and Dairy Technology</b> Koduveli, Alamathi Chennai - 600 052	 044 – 27680217 / 27680219  <a href="mailto:deancfdt@tanuvas.org.in">deancfdt@tanuvas.org.in</a>  <a href="https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/cfdt_intro.php">https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/cfdt_intro.php</a>	
<b>College of Poultry Production and Management</b> Mathigiri Hosur - 635 110	 04344 – 295162 / 295164  <a href="mailto:deancppm@tanuvas.org.in">deancppm@tanuvas.org.in</a>  <a href="https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/cppm_intro.php">https://www.tanuvas.ac.in/cppm_intro.php</a>	

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### 3. DETAILS OF VARIOUS POSTGRADUATE DEGREE AND POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES

Details of various Postgraduate degree programmes at Master's and Doctoral level in the faculties of Basic Sciences, Veterinary and Animal Sciences and Food Sciences offered in the University are furnished section-wise.

*The number of seats available in each discipline during this academic year is furnished in the Annexure -I (Page No. 39 - 41)*

#### ➤ **MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES**

- ✓ M.V.Sc.
- ✓ M.Tech.
- ✓ M.Sc. Biotechnology
- ✓ M.Sc. Dairy Science

#### ➤ **Ph.D. DEGREE PROGRAMMES**

- ✓ Veterinary & Animal Sciences
- ✓ Food Technology
- ✓ Dairy Technology
- ✓ Biotechnology

#### ➤ **PG DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES**

- ✓ PG Diploma in Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosis
- ✓ PG Diploma in Companion Animal Practice
- ✓ PG Diploma in Small Animal Emergency and Critical Care Medicine
- ✓ PG Diploma in Food Toxicology and Safety Management
- ✓ PG Diploma in Dairy Processing and Quality System
- ✓ PG Diploma in Molecular Biotechniques

# MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES

- ✓ **M.V.Sc.**
- ✓ **M.Tech.**
- ✓ **M.Sc. BIOTECHNOLOGY**
- ✓ **M.Sc. DAIRY SCIENCE**



## 4.1) Eligibility criteria for admission

### A) M.V.Sc.

Candidates possessing B.V.Sc. / B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree from Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University or any other University recognized as equivalent thereto shall be eligible to apply. The candidates should have completed their degree from colleges recognized by the **Veterinary Council of India**.

- ❖ **75% of the admission strength for the year is available for the candidates from Tamil Nadu. The remaining 25% is reserved for candidates selected through ICAR in the All India Entrance Examination for Admission (AIEEA) Conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA). The unfilled ICAR seats will be pooled to Tamil Nadu State quota.**
- ❖ **Unfilled seats, if any, shall be filled with eligible candidates from other States who have applied and appeared for the entrance examination conducted by the TANUVAS.**
- ❖ **The candidates from other states will be considered for admission by maintaining a separate rank list, only against the vacancies arising after filling the Tamil Nadu State quota.**
- ❖ **Candidates from other states shall not be entitled to claim admission in the quota reserved for Tamil Nadu state candidates as a matter of right on the basis of merit.**
- ❖ **Tamil Nadu State candidates who have completed their undergraduate degree course (B.V.Sc. & A.H.) outside Tamil Nadu and seeking admission under Tamil Nadu state quota to the M.V.Sc. degree course should furnish a **Nativity Certificate** issued by the competent authority in the prescribed format. Further, candidates who have completed UG degree in TANUVAS under VCI / ICAR quota also need to upload the nativity certificate in the prescribed format as in **Annexure – II. (Page No. 42)****
- ❖ **Candidates with a minimum OGPA of 2.75 out of 4.00 under trimester system or 6.50 out of 10.00 or 65% aggregate under semester pattern in undergraduate degree alone are eligible to apply for admission to**

M.V.Sc. degree programme. Candidates who have studied under conventional system should possess a minimum of 55% marks in their Bachelor's degree.

- ❖ Candidates who have passed B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree under the Veterinary Council of India (VCI) regulations should have obtained a minimum of 55% marks. For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.

<i>Undergraduate Pattern</i>	<i>Minimum OGPA / Marks / Percentage</i>
1. Trimester pattern	2.75 out of 4.00
2. Semester Pattern	6.50 out of 10.00 or 65%
3. Conventional system	55% marks
4. Veterinary Council of India (VCI)	55% marks

*\* For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.*

## B) M. Tech.

- ❖ **M.Tech. (Food Technology in Processing Technology / Food Technology in Processing Engineering / Food Technology in Safety and Quality)**
- ❖ Candidates possessing a B.Tech. (FPT / FT) degree from Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University or candidates who have studied a **FOUR-YEAR degree programme such as B.Tech. in Food Processing Technology / Food Technology / Food Process Engineering / Dairy Technology/ Biotechnology** from a recognized university shall be eligible to apply.
- ❖ **M.Tech. (Food Technology in Processing Technology) - 75%** of the admission strength for the year is available for the **candidates from Tamil Nadu**. The remaining **25%** is reserved for candidates selected **through ICAR in All India Entrance Examination for Admission (AIEEA) Conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA)**. The unfilled ICAR seats will be pooled to Tamil Nadu State quota.
- ❖ **M.Tech. (Dairy Technology / Dairy Chemistry):** Candidates possessing a B.Tech. (DT) degree from Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University or candidates who have studied a **FOUR-YEAR degree programme in Dairy Technology** from a recognized university shall be eligible to apply.



- ❖ **M.Tech. (Dairy Technology / Dairy Chemistry)** - 75% of the admission strength for the year is available for the **candidates from Tamil Nadu**. The remaining **25%** is reserved for candidates selected **through ICAR in All India Entrance Examination for Admission (AIEEA) Conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA)**. The unfilled ICAR seats will be pooled to Tamil Nadu State quota.
- ❖ **M.Tech. (Poultry Technology)**: Candidates possessing a B.Tech. (PT) degree from Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University or candidates who have studied a **FOUR-YEAR** degree programme in **Poultry Technology / Poultry Production Technology** from a recognized university shall be eligible to apply.
- ❖ **Candidates with a minimum OGPA of 2.75 out of 4.00 under trimester system or 6.50 out of 10.00 or 65% aggregate under semester pattern in undergraduate degree alone are eligible to apply for admission to M.Tech. (FT / DT / DC /PT) degree programme.**
- ❖ **Candidates who have studied under conventional system should possess a minimum of 55% marks in their Bachelor's degree.**
- ❖ **For SC/ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.**

<i>Undergraduate Pattern</i>	<i>Minimum OGPA / Marks / Percentage</i>
<b>1. Trimester pattern</b>	<b>2.75 out of 4.00</b>
<b>2. Semester Pattern</b>	<b>6.50 out of 10.00 or 65%</b>
<b>3. Conventional system</b>	<b>55% marks</b>

*\* For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.*

### C) M.Sc. Biotechnology

A Candidate with a Bachelor's degree in the disciplines of Biotechnology / Molecular Biology / Gene Technology / Animal Biotechnology (General stream, 3 years programme) / Biochemistry / Microbiology / Environmental Sciences / Genetics / Marine Biology and Fisheries Sciences / other Life Sciences from recognized Universities shall be eligible to apply.

### D) M.Sc. Dairy Science

- ❖ A Candidate with full time Undergraduate in Zoology / Botany / Chemistry / Biochemistry / Microbiology / Biotechnology / Any degree in Food Sciences related to Dairy subjects except Technology and Engineering disciplines.

- ❖ B. Voc. in Dairy and Food Science
- ❖ UG Degree of 3 years duration.
- ❖ Candidates who have obtained UG/PG of any one of the degree through correspondence (distance mode) are not eligible from recognized Universities shall be eligible to apply.

## 4.2) Mode of selection

- ❖ The selection of candidates for degree programmes shall be done on the basis of the marks obtained in the Common Entrance Examination conducted by TANUVAS and the qualifying degree marks obtained in the degree programmes.
- ❖ Based on the marks obtained, a merit list will be generated separately for Tamil Nadu State candidates and candidates from other States and the same will be hosted on the TANUVAS Website.
- ❖ In case of equal total marks, ranking will be done in the merit list based on the marks secured in the Common Entrance Examination alone.
- ❖ In case of further tie, the date of birth of candidates will be considered and elder candidate shall be placed before the younger candidate.
- ❖ The eligible candidates will be called for Counselling as per the merit list.
- ❖ **For MVSc / MTech Degree programme :** Candidates securing less than 50% of total marks are not eligible for Counselling. SC / ST candidates securing less than 40% of total marks are not eligible for Counselling.
- ❖ **For MSc (Biotechnology / Dairy Science) Degree programme :** Candidates securing less than 40% of total marks are not eligible for Counselling. SC/ST candidates securing less than 35% of total marks are not eligible for Counselling.

### A) M.V.Sc. / M.Tech.

- ❖ **The distribution of marks is as follows:**

<b>Common Entrance Examination</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Qualifying degree (B.V.Sc. &amp; A.H. / B.Tech.)</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Total Marks</b>	<b>200</b>

## B) M.Sc. Biotechnology

The distribution of marks is as follows:

Common Entrance Examination mark	75
Qualifying degree mark	100
Total	175

## C) M.Sc. Dairy Science

The distribution of marks is as follows:

Common Entrance Examination mark	75
Qualifying degree mark	100
Total	175

## 4.3) Common Entrance Examination

- ❖ Answers shall be shaded with a ball-point pen on the OMR coding sheet, as per the instructions provided therein.
- ❖ Only eligible candidates shall be permitted to download the Entrance Examination Hall Ticket and Counselling information letter.
- ❖ Admission to Entrance Examination **does not confer the candidate the right of admission to the course.**
- ❖ Candidates appearing for the Entrance Examination shall bear their own expenses and make their own arrangements for accommodation.
- ❖ Candidates coming **30 minutes after the commencement of the Entrance Examination, and / or not possessing the hall ticket will not be permitted to appear for the Entrance Examination.**
- ❖ No candidate shall be allowed to leave the examination hall until 30 minutes before the closure of the entrance examination.
- ❖ Once a candidate leaves the examination hall, he/she shall not be permitted to re-enter.

## A) M.V.Sc. / M.Tech.

- ❖ The questions for Common Entrance Examination of M.V.Sc. / M.Tech. will be based on undergraduate level comprising **200 objective type questions with four responses.**
- ❖ **Each question carries 0.5 marks and there are no negative marks for wrong responses. The maximum marks will be 100.**

❖ **The examination will be for three hour duration.**

## **B) M.Sc. Biotechnology / M.Sc. Dairy Science**

The entrance examination will have 75 objective type questions with four responses for 1½ hour's duration.

### **4.4) Number of Questions**

#### **For M.V.Sc. Degree Programmes**

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1	Veterinary Anatomy	10
2	Animal Genetics and Breeding	10
3	Animal Husbandry Economics	6
4	Veterinary and Animal Husbandry Extension Education	6
5	Animal Nutrition	10
6	Veterinary Medicine	12
7	Livestock Products Technology (Dairy Science)	10
8	Livestock Products Technology (Meat Science)	10
9	Livestock Production and Management	12
10	Veterinary Gynaecology and Obstetrics	12
11	Veterinary Parasitology	10
12	Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology	10
13	Poultry Science	10
14	Veterinary Surgery and Radiology	12
15	Veterinary Microbiology	12
16	Veterinary Pathology	10
17	Veterinary Physiology and Biochemistry	12
18	Veterinary Public Health and Epidemiology	10
19	Biostatistics	6
20	General Knowledge, Sports, and Aptitude test	10
<b>Total</b>		<b>200</b>

#### **For M.Tech. Degree Programmes (Food Technology in Processing Technology/ Food Technology in Process Engineering / Food Technology in Safety and Quality)**

<i>Sl.No.</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1	Food Chemistry and Nutrition	20
2	Food Microbiology	20
3	Food Trade and Business Management	20

4	Food Science and Technology	80
5	Food Engineering	50
6	Supporting Courses (Physics / Mathematics / Operation Research)	10
<b>Total</b>		<b>200</b>

**For M.Tech. Degree Programmes  
(Dairy Technology / Dairy Chemistry)**

<i>Sl.No.</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1	Dairy Chemistry and Nutrition	50
2	Dairy Microbiology	20
3	Dairy Business Management	20
4	Dairy Technology	50
5	Dairy Engineering	40
6	Food Technology and Food Chemistry	20
<b>Total</b>		<b>200</b>

**For M.Tech. Degree Programme  
(Poultry Technology)**

<i>Sl.No.</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1	Poultry Management	80
2	Poultry Engineering	50
3	Poultry Technology	50
4	Poultry Business Management	20
<b>Total</b>		<b>200</b>

**For M.Sc. Bio Technology**

<i>S. No</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1.	Genetics	10
2.	Microbiology	10
3.	Molecular Biology	15
4.	Biotechnology	20
5.	Biochemistry	10
6.	Nanotechnology	10
<b>Total</b>		<b>75</b>

### For M.Sc. Dairy Science

<i>S. No</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1.	Breeds of Dairy Cattle	5
2.	Breeding and Lactation Management	5
3.	Clean Milk Production	5
4.	Feed and Fodder Production	5
5.	Market Milk Processing	10
6.	Composition of various types of milk	5
7.	Quality control of Milk and Milk products	5
8.	Analytical Procedures for Milk Screening	5
9.	Dairy Microbiology	10
10.	Dairy Technology	20
<b>Total</b>		<b>75</b>

## 4.5) Counselling procedure

### A) M.V.Sc. / M.Tech.

- ❖ Eligible candidates shall be called for counselling in accordance with their rank.
- ❖ During counselling, candidates for the M.V.Sc. / MTech programme shall choose any one of the disciplines and campuses available at that time.

(or)

Alternatively, candidates may opt to be placed on the waiting list.

- ❖ In summary, a candidate may either choose a discipline or opt for the waiting list at the time of counselling; but not both.
- ❖ The candidates who have taken a confirmed seat can pay the fee and join the course on or before the prescribed date and time and they cannot participate in further counselling process.
- ❖ Those who have opted for waiting list will not be allotted for any confirmed seat during the first round of counselling. Further, they will be allowed to participate in the second round of counselling for wait listed candidates and they can choose from the vacant seats available as on the date of second counselling. The candidates who have taken a confirmed seat in the second counselling can pay the fee and join the course on or before the prescribed date and time.
- ❖ The candidates from other states can participate in the counselling mentioned for other states based on the vacancies (if any), after completion of second round of



counselling. The candidates who have taken a confirmed seat at this stage can pay the fee and join the course on or before the prescribed date and time.

## **B) M.Sc. Biotechnology / M.Sc. Dairy Science**

- ❖ Admission to M.Sc. (Biotechnology) course shall be made by Counselling on the basis of total marks duly applying the rule of reservation.

### **4.6) Other rules**

- ❖ If a student admitted in the first year and does not register the course of first semester or having registered, failed to put in 80% attendance in all the courses, his / her admission stands cancelled and he / she shall forfeit the admission to the course. On seeking re-admission, he / she has to undergo the normal admission procedure as a fresh candidate.

### **4.7) System of education**

The pattern of instruction and evaluation shall follow the semester course credit system of two-year duration. An enrolled student should complete the course and research credits approved by the University from time to time and shall have to earn a minimum Overall Grade Point Average (OGPA) of 6.50 out of 10.00 in order to earn degree.

### **4.8) Fee**

- ❖ Fee payable is detailed in Annexure III. **(Page No.43)**

### **4.9) Scholarships**

TANUVAS Merit Scholarship -Priority will be given to Tamil Nadu State candidates on merit basis

# **Ph.D. DEGREE PROGRAMMES**

- ✓ **VETERINARY & ANIMAL SCIENCES**
- ✓ **FOOD TECHNOLOGY**
- ✓ **DAIRY TECHNOLOGY**
- ✓ **BIOTECHNOLOGY**

## 5.1) Eligibility criteria for admission

### A) Veterinary & Animal Sciences

- ❖ 75% of the admission strength for the year is available for the **candidates from Tamil Nadu**. The remaining 25% is reserved for candidates selected **through ICAR in the All-India Entrance Examination for Admission (AIEEA) Conducted by National Testing Agency (NTA)**. The unfilled ICAR seats will be **pooled to Tamil Nadu State quota**.
- ❖ Unfilled seats, if any, shall be **filled with candidates from other States** who have applied and appeared for the entrance examination conducted by the TANUVAS.
- ❖ The candidates from other States will be considered for admission by **maintaining a separate rank list only against the vacancies that may arise after filling the State quota**.
- ❖ **Candidates from other States cannot claim admission in the quota reserved for Tamil Nadu State candidates as a matter of right on the basis of merit.**
- ❖ Tamil Nadu State Candidates who have completed undergraduate degree programme (B.V.Sc. & A.H.) outside Tamil Nadu and seeking admission under Tamil Nadu State quota to the Ph.D. degree courses should furnish a **Nativity Certificate** issued by the competent authority in the prescribed format. Further, candidates who completed UG degree in TANUVAS under VCI / ICAR quota also need to upload the nativity certificate in prescribed format.
- ❖ Candidates with a minimum OGPA of **2.75 out of 4.00 under trimester system or 6.50 out of 10.00 under semester system or 65% marks** in the Master's degree alone are eligible to apply for admission to Ph.D. degree programme in Veterinary and Animal Sciences. **For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.**

<i>Master's degree</i>		<i>Minimum OGPA / Marks / Percentage</i>
1.	Trimester pattern	2.75 out of 4.00
2.	Semester Pattern	6.50 out of 10.00 or 65%

*For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient*

- ❖ **Candidates who have graduated at Master's level in one discipline cannot seek admission in another discipline.**

- ❖ Candidates with B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree and Master's degree in the concerned field of specialization from a recognized University shall alone be eligible to apply (Except Veterinary Biotechnology, Livestock Products Technology, Veterinary Biochemistry and Veterinary Medicine).
- ❖ For **Ph.D. in Veterinary Biotechnology**, Candidates with only M.V.Sc. degree in **Animal Health** (Veterinary Microbiology, Veterinary Parasitology, Veterinary Pathology, Veterinary Public Health & Epidemiology, Pharmacology & Toxicology), **Animal Production** (Animal Genetics and Breeding, Animal Nutrition), **Basic Sciences** (Veterinary Biotechnology, Veterinary Biochemistry, Veterinary Physiology, Wildlife Sciences) shall be eligible to apply.
- ❖ For **Ph.D. in Livestock Products Technology**, candidates with M.V.Sc. degree in Dairy Science (or) Meat Science and Technology (or) Livestock Products Technology with a basic B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree recognized as equivalent there to shall be eligible to apply.
- ❖ For **Ph.D. in Veterinary Biochemistry**, candidates with M.V.Sc. degree in Veterinary Biochemistry or M.Sc. degree in Biochemistry with basic B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree recognized as equivalent thereto shall be eligible to apply.
- ❖ For **Ph.D. in Veterinary Medicine**, candidates with M.V.Sc. degree in Veterinary Medicine/Veterinary Clinical Medicine/Veterinary Preventive Medicine with basic B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree recognized as equivalent thereto shall be eligible to apply.

## B) Food Technology

### **Ph.D. in Food Technology in Processing Technology / Food Technology in Process Engineering / Food Technology in Safety and Quality:**

- ❖ Candidates applying for admission to **Ph.D. in Food Technology in Processing Technology, Food Technology in Process Engineering and Food Technology in Safety and Quality** shall be eligible to apply only if they have a minimum of **FOUR-YEAR** completed Undergraduate Degree programme in B.Tech. Food Technology / Food Sciences & Technology / Food Processing Technology/ Food Process Engineering / Dairy Science / Dairy Technology / Dairy Engineering / Bio-Technology with M.Tech. degree in Food Technology / Food Sciences & Technology / Food Processing Technology / Food Process Engineering/ Processing and Food Engineering/ Dairy Science/ Dairy Technology /Dairy

Chemistry / Dairy Microbiology / Dairy Engineering/ Bio-Technology / Food Safety and Quality from a recognized university.

- ❖ Candidates with a minimum OGPA of **2.75 out of 4.00 under trimester system or 6.50 out of 10.00 under semester system or 55% marks in conventional system** in Master's degree alone are eligible for admission to Ph.D. in Food Technology. For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.

<i>Master's degree</i>	<i>Minimum OGPA / Marks / Percentage</i>
<b>1. Trimester pattern</b>	<b>2.75 out of 4.00</b>
<b>2. Semester Pattern</b>	<b>6.50 out of 10.00 or 65%</b>
<b>3. Conventional system</b>	<b>55% marks</b>

*\* For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.*

### C) Dairy Technology

- ❖ Candidates applying for admission to **Ph.D. in Dairy Technology** shall be eligible to apply only if they have completed **FOUR-YEAR** Undergraduate Degree programme in B.Tech. Dairy Technology / Dairy Chemistry and **TWO-YEAR** postgraduate programme in M.Tech. Dairy Technology from a recognized university.
- ❖ Candidates with a minimum OGPA of **2.75 out of 4.00 under trimester system or 6.50 out of 10.00 under semester system or 55% marks in conventional system** in Master's degree alone are eligible for admission to Ph.D. in Dairy Technology. For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.

<i>Master's degree</i>	<i>Minimum OGPA / Marks / Percentage</i>
<b>1. Trimester pattern</b>	<b>2.75 out of 4.00</b>
<b>2. Semester Pattern</b>	<b>6.50 out of 10.00 or 65%</b>
<b>3. Conventional system</b>	<b>55% marks</b>

*\* For SC / ST candidates, a minimum pass is sufficient.*

### D) Biotechnology

- ❖ Candidates with Master's degree in the disciplines of Biotechnology (M.Sc./M.Tech.), Molecular Biology, Gene Technology, Animal Biotechnology (M.Sc.) Biochemistry, Microbiology, Environmental Sciences, Genetics, Marine Biology, Life Sciences and Fisheries Sciences (except Fisheries Economics, Fisheries Statistics and Fisheries Extension) from recognized Universities with first class shall be eligible to apply.

## 5.2) Mode of selection

Candidates for Ph.D. degree programme will be selected based on the marks obtained in the Entrance Examination and other criteria as detailed below:

<b>Entrance Examination</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>OGPA / Marks in PG Degree</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.5 to 7.0 - 30 marks</li> <li>Above 7.0 to 8.0 - 35 marks</li> <li>Above 8.0 - 40 marks</li> </ul>	<b>40</b>
<b>Service / Experience</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Publications</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Medals / Awards</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Total marks</b>	<b>150</b>

- ❖ The distribution of marks for service / Experience, Publications and Medals is detailed below:

<b>1</b>	<b>Service / Experience</b>	<b>:</b>	
			0.1 Mark for every completed month of (1.2 Mark for every year) Service / Experience (Limited to 10 marks)
<b>2</b>	<b>Publications*</b>	<b>:</b>	
	Journals with NAAS rating <4.00	:	0.5 Mark for each paper
	Journals with NAAS rating 4.00 to 5.99	:	1.0 Mark for each paper
	Journals with NAAS rating 6.00 and above	:	1.5 Mark for each paper
	Book(ISBN)	:	2.0 Mark for each book
	Chapter in book(ISBN)	:	1.0 Mark for each chapter in book
<b>3</b>	<b>Awards / Medals</b>	<b>:</b>	
	Academic awards – International / National / State/ University level	:	2.0 Mark for each award / medal
	Other Awards	:	1.0 Mark for each award

*\*Journals without NAAS rating but with impact factor will be considered for scoring.*

## 5.3) Common entrance examination

- ❖ Entrance Examination will be conducted in the concerned subject at Master's degree level. **The Examination will be with 75 objective type questions with four responses**



- ❖ **Each question carries one mark and there are no negative marks for wrong responses. The maximum marks will be 75.**
- ❖ **The examination will be for 1 ½ hour duration.**
- ❖ Answers shall be shaded with a ball-point pen on the OMR coding sheet, as per the instructions provided therein.
- ❖ Only eligible candidates shall be permitted to download the Entrance Examination Hall Ticket and Counselling information letter.
- ❖ Admission to Entrance Examination **does not confer the candidate the right of admission to the course.**
- ❖ Candidates appearing for the Entrance Examination shall bear their own expenses and make their own arrangements for accommodation.
- ❖ Candidates coming **30 minutes after the commencement of the Entrance Examination, and / or not possessing the hall ticket will not be permitted to appear for the Entrance Examination.**
- ❖ No candidate shall be allowed to leave the examination hall until 30 minutes before the closure of the entrance examination.
- ❖ Once a candidate leaves the examination hall, he/she shall not be permitted to re-enter.

#### **5.4) Counselling procedure**

- ❖ Admission to Ph.D. degree course shall be made by Counselling on the basis of total marks duly applying the rule of reservation. Candidates securing less than 50% of total marks are not eligible for Counselling. SC/ST candidates securing less than 40% of total marks are not eligible for Counselling for Ph.D. (Veterinary & Animal Science), Ph.D. in Food Technology in Processing Technology, Food Technology in Process Engineering and Food Technology in Safety and Quality, Ph.D. in Dairy Technology and Ph.D. in Biotechnology.

## 5.5) Fee

- ❖ Fee payable is detailed in Annexure III.(Page No. 43)

## 5.6) System Of Education

The pattern of instruction and evaluation is as per the semester course credit system. An enrolled student should complete the course and research credits approved by the University from time to time and shall have to earn a **minimum Overall Grade Point Average (OGPA) of 6.50 out of 10.00** in order to earn a Postgraduate (M.V.Sc./M.Tech./Ph.D.) degree.

## 5.7) Scholarships

TANUVAS Merit Scholarship

- Priority will be given to Tamil Nadu State candidates on merit basis.
- It will be applicable to full time candidates only.

# POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES

- ✓ **VETERINARY LABORATORY DIAGNOSIS**
- ✓ **COMPANION ANIMAL PRACTICE**
- ✓ **SMALL ANIMAL EMERGENCY AND CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE**
- ✓ **FOOD TOXICOLOGY AND SAFETY MANAGEMENT**
- ✓ **DAIRY PROCESSING AND QUALITY SYSTEM**
- ✓ **MOLECULAR BIOTECHNIQUES**

## 6.1) Eligibility Criteria for Admission

### A) Postgraduate Diploma in Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosis/Companion Animal Practice / Small Animal Emergency and Critical Care Medicine

Candidates possessing B.V.Sc. / B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree of Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University or any other University recognized as equivalent thereto shall be eligible to apply with a minimum OGPA of 2.75 / 4.00 in trimester system or 6.50 / 10.00 in semester system or 50% in conventional system. A minimum pass is sufficient for SC/ ST candidates.

### B) Postgraduate Diploma in Food Toxicology and Safety Management

Candidates possessing a BVSc & AH / MBBS / BSc Agriculture / BTech Food Technology / BTech Poultry Production Technology / BTech Food Science Faculty / BTech Dairy Technology / MSc Nutrition and Dietetics / MSc Food and Nutrition / MSc Home Science / BTech Biotechnology / MSc Biochemistry or equivalent courses. Students who have obtained BSc Degree through correspondence (distance mode) are not eligible.

### C) Postgraduate Diploma in Dairy Processing and Quality System

A Candidate with Full time of Undergraduate / Postgraduate in Veterinary Science Agriculture / Horticulture / Food Science / Food Technology / Dairy Science / Dairy Technology / Home Science / Nutrition & Dietetics / Biology / Microbiology / Botany / Zoology / Chemistry / Biochemistry / Biotechnology / Life Sciences and B. Voc. in Dairy or Food Science. Candidates who have obtained UG/PG degree of any one of the degree through correspondence (distance mode) are not eligible.

### D) Postgraduate Diploma in Molecular Biotechniques

A Candidate with B.V.Sc. / B.V.Sc. & A.H. / B.Tech. / B.E. / B.S. / B. Pharmacy / B.Sc. degree in the disciplines of Biotechnology, Life Sciences, Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, Genetic Engineering, Microbiology, Genetics, Environmental Biology or any other relevant disciplines are eligible to apply.

## 6.2) Mode of Selection

Postgraduate diploma in veterinary laboratory diagnosis/companion animal practice / small animal emergency and critical care medicine / food toxicology and safety management / diploma in dairy processing and quality system / molecular biotechniques

The selection of candidates for admission to Postgraduate will be based on the marks obtained in the entrance examination and the qualifying degree marks.

**The distribution of marks is as follows:**

Common Entrance Examination marks	75
Qualifying degree marks	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>175</b>

## 6.3) Common Entrance Examination

The entrance examination for Postgraduate Diploma will be with 75 objective type questions with four responses for 1½ hours duration covering broad areas. Each question carries one mark and there are no negative marks for wrong responses. The maximum marks will be 75. Answer should be shaded with a ballpoint pen in the OMR coding sheet as per the instructions given in the OMR coding sheet. In case of equal total marks, ranking will be done in the merit list based on the marks secured in the Common Entrance Examination alone. In case of further tie, the date of birth of candidates will be considered and elder candidate shall be placed first than the younger candidate.

### A) Postgraduate Diploma in Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosis/Companion Animal Practice

The details of number of questions in each subject are as shown below:

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1	Veterinary Gynecology and Obstetrics	10
2	Veterinary Clinical Medicine	10
3	Veterinary Preventive Medicine	5
4	Veterinary Microbiology	10
5	Veterinary Parasitology	10
6	Veterinary Physiology & Biochemistry	10
7	Veterinary Pathology	10
8	Veterinary Surgery & Radiology	10
	<b>Total</b>	<b>75</b>

## B) Postgraduate Diploma in Small Animal Emergency and Critical Care Medicine

The details of number of questions are as shown below:

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1	Small Animal Physical Examination – Vital Signs, Inspection, Palpation, percussion and auscultation	10
2	Clinical procedures and monitoring techniques – Centesis techniques, tracheostomy, catheterization techniques, feeding tubes, diagnostic peritoneal lavage, gastric lavage.	10
3	General Systemic Conditions- Pyrexia, Hypothermia, Hyperthermia, SIRS, Septicemia, shock	10
4	Gastrointestinal Emergencies – Acute abdomen, GDV, FB obstructions, hemetemeses, hemorrhagic gastroenteritis, acute pancreatitis, hepatic encephalopathy	12
5	Cardiovascular and respiratory Emergencies – cardiac and respiratory failure, CPR, oxygen therapy, ventilation techniques, DCM, HCM, tracheal collapse, Pneumothorax, chylothorax, hemothorax,	13
6	Renal and urological emergencies – Acute renal failure, obstructive urolithiasis, uremic encephalopathy	10
7	Neurological and toxic emergencies, seizures, management of common toxicities and snake envenomation	10
<b>Total</b>		<b>75</b>

## C) Postgraduate Diploma in Food Toxicology and Safety Management

The details of number of questions are as shown below:

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>No. of Questions</i>
1	Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology	25
2	Veterinary Medicine	15
3	Livestock Production Management	15
4	Veterinary Biotechnology	10
5	Veterinary Microbiology	10
<b>Total</b>		<b>75</b>



## D) Postgraduate Diploma in Dairy Processing and Quality System

The details of number of questions are as shown below:

Sl. No.	Subjects	No. of Questions
1	Processing Technique of Fluid Milk	25
2	Processing Technique of Dairy Products	15
3	Quality Systems in Dairy Industry	15
4	Packaging in Dairy Industry	10
5	Cleaning and Sanitization and Effluent Treatment in Dairy Industry	10
Total		75

## E) Postgraduate Diploma in Molecular Biotechniques

The details of number of questions are as shown below:

Sl. No.	Subjects	No. of Questions
1	Introduction to Biotechnology and Cell Biology	10
2	Fundamentals of Microbiology	10
3	Principles of Immunology	15
4	Molecular Biology Techniques	15
5	Recombinant DNA Technology	15
6	Environmental Biotechnology	5
7	Embryo Biotechnology	5
Total		75

## 6.4) Counselling Procedure

Admission to Postgraduate Diploma in Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosis / Companion Animal Practice shall be made by Counselling on the basis of total marks duly applying the rule of reservation. Candidates securing less than 40% of total marks are not eligible for Counselling. SC/ST candidates securing less than 35% of total marks are not eligible for Counselling.

## 6.5) System of Education

The duration of the course is one year comprising two semesters. The pattern of instruction and evaluation is as per the semester course credit system. An enrolled student should complete the course work and dissertation credits as approved by the

University from time to time, carry out research project in the specified area and submit a project report for evaluation before the end of the second semester.

However, with respect to postgraduate diploma in dairy processing and quality system the candidate should complete 45 days of In plant training in addition to the above-mentioned conditions.

## 6.6) Fee

- ❖ Fee payable is detailed in Annexure III. **(Page No. 43)**

# FOREIGN NATIONAL CATEGORY

## 7) FOREIGN NATIONAL CATEGORY THROUGH STUDY IN INDIA (SII) PORTAL

Students applying under the Foreign National category for M.V.Sc. course in Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Chennai – 51 should apply through the Study in India portal from the academic year 2025-26.

Study in India (SII) portal <https://studyinindia.gov.in> / was launched by Ministry of Education (MOE), Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) and Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) on 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2023. It is a dedicated website for University admission and Visa applications for foreign students who wish to pursue their higher education in Indian Higher Education Institutes (HEIs). With the launch of the portal, it is now mandatory for international students seeking admission in Indian HEIs to register on the SII portal for the academic session 2023-24 onwards for every full-time or short-term course. The portal provides a structured mechanism to facilitate foreign students to meet their Visa obligations. A unique ID will be generated when a student register on the portal and this ID will have to be quoted with Visa applications.

### A) Seats

The seats reserved for the Foreign Nationals are over and above the PG admission strength.

*(G.O. (Ms.) No. 13 Dated: 20.01.2014 and G.O. (Ms.) No. 50 Dated: 27.05.2009 of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries (AH-6) Department)*

COURSE	NO. OF SEATS AVAILABLE	COLLEGES
Master of Veterinary Science (MVSc)	5 (FIVE)	Madras Veterinary College, Vepery, Chennai - 600 007, Tamil Nadu, India

### B) Eligibility

1. Applicants must be citizens of any **FOREIGN COUNTRY POSSESSING FOREIGN PASSPORTS AND NOT OF INDIAN ORIGIN.**
2. Foreign students who wish to apply for the course in Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University should send their applications along with NOC from Indian embassy of the concerned country.

### 3. Academic Qualification:

Candidates should have qualified with a degree in Bachelor of Veterinary Science or equivalent course as recognized thereto.

#### C) Selection

Selection will be done based on the Academic Merit of the eligible candidates. Eligibility will be decided based on scrutinization of subjects studied and marks obtained in the concerned subjects examined by the committee constituted by the university. The selection list will be hosted in the University website.

The Admission Committee will scrutinize the Programme of the courses studied by the candidate along with the performance records for selection. The committee constituted by the university will examine the academic records of the Foreign National candidates for their eligibility and selection.

**Admission will be provided subject to production of the following documents:**

1. Proof for the Citizenship of the candidate.
2. Passport of the candidate.
3. Qualifying mark list of the candidate: if the grades are produced, certificates showing equivalent marks to grades should be submitted.
4. Valid Visa.
5. No Objection Certificate from Indian Embassy of the country concerned.
6. Provisional Degree Certificate
7. Transfer Certificate

Final allotment of the branch of study and order of admission will be issued on merit basis after verification of the certificates.

#### D) Fees

##### 1. Application Registration Fee:

While filling-up of online application form, the candidate has to make online payment of application fee of **US \$ 100** (One hundred US Dollars only) through Credit cards / Debit cards / Internet Banking / IMPS / UPI.

##### 2. Institutional Economic Fee and Development Fee:

On receipt of the selection order, candidates of Foreign National category have to pay the Institutional Economic Fee and Development Fee as prescribed by the University, **by Demand Draft in US Dollars** drawn in favour of “**The Finance Officer, TANUVAS, Chennai**” payable at Chennai or through **wire transfer**.

Degree Programme	Details	Fees Payable every year		Fees payable lump sum
<b>M.V.Sc. (4 Semesters)</b>	<b>Institutional Economic fee</b>	First year	US\$ 5,000	<b>US\$ 9,500</b>
		Subsequent years	US\$ 5,000 (per annum)	
	<b>Development charges</b>	For First year only		<b>US\$ 2,000</b>

*Note: For each extended year of study, an additional fee of US \$ 3,000 per annum will be paid.*

*(U.O. No. 60065/R.I/BOM-84/2015 & No. 9022/R.I/BOM-84/3-12/61-15/2015 Dated: 15.07.2015)*

### 3. Other Regular Fees:

Other regular fees such as Tuition fee, Special fee, Examination fee, Boarding and Lodging fees, etc. **should be paid either in Indian Rupees or its equivalent in US Dollars** at the time of admission or when required to be paid, as per the rules of the University. Fees including Institutional Economic Fee and Development Fee once paid are not refundable.

## E) General information

- Candidates selected for admission and remitted the fees with necessary original certificates are required to report to the Dean of the College concerned on the scheduled date mentioned in the campus allotment order. If the candidate fails to do so, the offer of admission will automatically stand cancelled.
- All admissions shall be deemed as provisional and subject to further scrutiny. They shall be liable to cancellation at any stage during the study if it is found that an admission was contrary to the rules or invalid by reason of incorrect or false information furnished by the applicants or their parents/guardians at the time of admission. Any cancellation of admission shall not exclude penal action under the relevant criminal law.
- Candidates have to submit a medical fitness certificate at the time of final allotment, in the format prescribed by the TANUVAS.
- Hostel accommodation is available inside the campus, however, there is no separate Hostel for Foreign National students.
- Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University reserves the right to cancel or vary any of these rules without notice.



# GENERAL GUIDELINES

## 8) RESERVATION

The prevailing rules of reservation of the Government of Tamil Nadu at the time of counseling will be followed.

**Rules of reservation are applicable only when there are four or more seats in each discipline.** If the number of seats is less than four, selection will be based on merit alone.

## 9) HOSTEL FACILITIES

- a. Hostel for the students will be made, subject to availability in each campus and the messes are run on a dividend system.
- b. The students will be accommodated in the hostels to the extent possible, as the facilities are limited.
- c. A sum of Rs.5,000/- will be collected as hostel deposit.

## 10) IMPORTANT NOTE

**A candidate who has been selected for admission should register for the course concerned within 13 working days from the date of commencement of registration (the first two working days without fine and the remaining eleven working days with a fine of Rs.100/-) as per the provisions made in the Regulations for the Postgraduate degree programme under semester pattern. If he/she does not register for the course within the above period, his/her admission will automatically stand cancelled.**

If a student admitted in the first year and does not register the course of first semester or having registered, failed to put in 80% attendance in all the courses, his / her admission stands cancelled and he / she shall forfeit the admission to the course. On seeking re-admission, he / she has to undergo the normal admission procedure as a fresh candidate.

A candidate, who intends to withdraw from the course before registration is entitled to get a refund of 80% of the tuition fees and 100% of all the other fees paid by him/her, provided the claim for refund is made within one month from the date notified for registration / commencement of classes. Otherwise, he/she is liable to forfeit the full fees paid for the admission.

A candidate who desires to leave the course after registering for the course irrespective of the fact that he/she has attended the classes or not, is entitled to get a refund of 30% of the tuition fees and 50% of all the other fees.

## 11) PREVENTION OF RAGGING

If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the concerned student shall be given liberty to explain and if his / her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him / her from the Institution.

## 12) INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES TO FILL IN THE APPLICATION FORM

1. Separate application for M.V.Sc., Ph.D. [Veterinary Science/ Food Technology (Food Technology in Processing Technology, Food Technology in Process Engineering, Food Technology in Safety and Quality)/ Dairy Technology / Biotechnology], M.Tech. (Food Technology / Dairy Technology / Dairy Chemistry / Poultry Technology), MSc (Biotechnology) / M.Sc. (Dairy Science) and PG Diploma in Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosis, Companion Animal Practice, Small Animal Emergency and Critical Care Medicine, Food Toxicology and Safety Management, Dairy Processing and Quality System, and Molecular Biotechniques needs to be submitted.
2. **In service candidates from Directorate of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, Tamil Nadu are eligible to apply for M.V.Sc. and Ph.D. degree programmes in the disciplines of Veterinary and Animal Sciences** as per the G.O. letter No. MS. No.134/AH7/2016, dated 16.09.2016 of the Secretary to Govt. Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries (AH-7) Dept. Chennai – 9. However, the candidates need to attend the examinations and separate rank list will be generated for eligible candidates.
3. Candidates should carefully read the prospectus before filling up the application form online. All the required documents / certificates should be scanned and kept ready. All rows / columns in the application should be correctly and completely filled in.

Candidates may submit applications online at <https://adm.tanuv.ac.in> (or) <https://tanuv.ac.in> on or before **12.12.2025, 5.00 PM.**

**ONLY ONLINE APPLICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED. OTHER FORMATS OF APPLICATION WILL SUMMARILY BE REJECTED.**

4. If for any reason (for want of more details), the candidate is not able to fill in all the

required columns at a stretch, he / she may SAVE the application for future access. Upon saving the application, the candidate may login again for editing the contents later and submission of application before the due date.

5. After filling in all the relevant columns in the application, the candidates may re-check the details provided by them before submission through PREVIEW.
6. Candidates should ensure that correct amount of ONLINE APPLICATION FEE (Rs.600 /- for SC & ST and Rs.1200/- for other candidates for each application) paid by using the method viz. a) Credit Card b) Debit Card and c) Internet Banking d) UPI in the ONLINEPAYMENT GATEWAY.

**PAYMENT BY ANY OTHER MODE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

7. After submission of application by online, the candidate will receive an SMS and e-mail that his / her application(s) is (are) submitted successfully.
8. After the receipt of this SMS / email, the candidates may take a print out of the application submitted online. Candidates not receiving the SMS / e-mail even after 48 hours post submission may contact the Admission Committee through e-mail: [pgadmissionhelpdesk@tanuvas.org.in](mailto:pgadmissionhelpdesk@tanuvas.org.in)
9. No addition, deletion or alteration of any particulars relating to the application is permitted after submission of the application by online.
10. After submitting the application online, the candidates who are employed (State/Central/SAU's/Public sector organizations) alone should take the printout of the uploaded documents and send it "**Through Proper Channel**" so as to reach the Chairman, Admission Committee (PG), Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Madhavaram milk colony, Chennai -600 051 on or before: **12.12.2025, 5.00 PM.**
11. **In-service candidates alone are advised to send hardcopy of the application to University "Through Proper Channel" sufficiently early after submitting their application by online.** The University will not take any responsibility for postal delay. Applications received after the prescribed due date and time will not be considered on any account.
12. **Candidates are requested to study the prospectus carefully before filling up the application form.**
13. Candidates possessing the minimum qualifications as prescribed in the prospectus alone will be considered.

14. **The cut-off date for all the eligibility conditions is 31.12.2025.**
15. Those who are claiming community reservation should furnish the certificate obtained from the competent authority. However, the employees of Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University and Government of Tamil Nadu can enclose copy of first page of their Service Register as proof of community claim.
16. **Employees of Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University / State or Central Government or Other organizations should send hard copy of the applications submitted online “Through Proper Channel” (or) submit a No Objection Certificate.** The University will not take any responsibility for postal delay. Applications received after the prescribed due date and time will not be considered on any account.
17. **COMMON ENTRANCE EXAMINATION FOR ALL POSTGRADUATE DEGREE / DIPLOMA COURSES**
- ❖ **The Entrance Examination Hall Ticket and Counselling information letter can be downloaded online at <https://adm.tanuvvas.ac.in> (or) <https://tanuvvas.ac.in> only by the eligible candidates.**
  - ❖ Admission to Entrance Examination does not confer the candidate the right of admission to the course.
  - ❖ Candidates appearing for the Entrance Examination shall bear their own expenses and shall make their own arrangements for accommodation.
  - ❖ Candidates coming 30 minutes after the commencement of the Entrance Examination and/or also not possessing the hall ticket will not be permitted to appear for the Entrance Examination.
  - ❖ No candidate shall be allowed to leave the examination hall until 30 minutes before the closure of the entrance examination.
  - ❖ Once a candidate leaves the examination hall, he/she shall not be permitted to re-enter.
18. Selected candidates should join the course on or before the specified date, failing which their admission will be cancelled and resultant vacancies will be filled up by other eligible wait listed candidates through Counselling.
19. Candidates selected for admission will have to give a declaration and an undertaking at the time of admission.
20. The following original documents must be submitted at the time of admission:

- i) Provisional/Degree certificate of Bachelor's and Master's degree
- ii) Transfer Certificate/Migration Certificate
- iii) Conduct Certificate from the Head of the Institution last studied
- iv) Mark Sheets / Report Cards / Transcript Card of Bachelor's and Master's degree
- v) Community Certificate
- vi) Nativity Certificate (if applicable)

**Failure to submit any of the above documents will make the candidate ineligible for admission.**

- 21.** All the candidates admitted for any PG Programme should abide by the Academic Rules and Regulations prescribed in the Act, Statutes, Regulations and Rules (ASRR) of the University, which may be subject to revision from time to time.

### **13) DISPUTE REDRESSAL**

With respect to the interpretation of the provisions of any matter not covered in this prospectus, the decision of the University shall be final and binding on all the parties concerned. Any complaints, grievances etc., related to PG admissions and academic matters must be first referred to the Chairman, PG Admission Committee, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Chennai who will be the appellate authority with respect to such complaints / disputes. The Courts having their jurisdiction at Chennai alone can adjudicate on all matters and disputes related to admissions and academic matters. Further, any legal question arising out of the admission shall be entertained only when raised within 30 days from the declaration of the result. No disputes will be entertained after the closure of admission.

### **14) CHECK LIST**

**The following documents need to be uploaded during filling up the application:**

1.	Passport size Photo
2.	Signature
3.	Nativity Certificate in the prescribed format (if applicable)
4.	SSLC / HSC mark sheet or First page of Service Register as a proof of date of birth.
5.	Community Certificate Employees of TANUVAS and Government of Tamil Nadu can enclose the first page of the Service Register as a proof of community to which they belong.

6.	Provisional / Degree Certificate of Bachelor's and Master's Degree
7.	Statement of Marks / Report cards / Transcript card showing the details of courses underwent and the marks/OGPA obtained in the degree course concerned
8.	Transfer / Migration certificate
9.	Conduct certificate from the Head of the Institution last studied
10.	Service Certificate showing the details of service / experience, if applicable
11.	First page of copy of Research articles, Books, Chapters in Books, Proof for Medals and Awards (for PhD candidates only)

Only Employed candidates (TANUVAS / State or Central Government / Other organizations) are requested to send hardcopy of the online filled application through proper channel to:

**The Chairman  
Admission Committee (PG)  
Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University  
Madhavaram Milk Colony  
Chennai-600 051**

**Last Date for Submission of Online Application is 12.12.2025.**

# ANNEXURES



## ANNEXURE – I

### SEATS TO BE FILLED IN DIFFERENT POSTGRADUATE DEGREE COURSES DURING 2025-26

#### i) M.V.Sc.

Sl. No.	Disciplines	Campus			
		MVC, Chennai	VCRI, Namakkal	VCRI, Orathanadu	VCRI, Tirunelveli
1	Animal Genetics and Breeding	3	2	2	1
2	Animal Husbandry Economics	3	2	-	-
3	Animal Nutrition	3	2	1	2
4	Animal Reproduction Gynecology and Obstetrics	5	4	2	2
5	Livestock Production and Management	2	2	2	2
6	Livestock Products Technology	2	2	2	2
7	Poultry Science	4	3	-	-
8	Veterinary Anatomy	3	2	2	1
9	Veterinary Biochemistry	-	1	1	1
10	Veterinary Biotechnology	3	-	-	-
11	Veterinary Extension Education	2	2	2	2
12	Veterinary Medicine	5	4	3	3
13	Veterinary Microbiology	3	2	1	1
14	Veterinary Parasitology	2	2	2	2
15	Veterinary Pathology	3	3	1	1
16	Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology	1	2	3	2
17	Veterinary Physiology	1	1	1	1
18	Veterinary Public Health and Epidemiology	1	1	2	2
19	Veterinary Surgery and Radiology	5	4	2	2
20	Wild Life Science	3	-	-	-
21	Bio-Statistics	2	-	-	-
22	Dairy Microbiology	2	-	-	-

## ii) M.Tech.

Sl. No.	Disciplines	Campus	
		CFDT, Koduveli, Chennai	CPPM, Hosur
1	Food Technology		
	❖ M.Tech.– Food Technology in Processing Technology	5	-
	❖ M.Tech. – Food Technology in Process Engineering	6	-
	❖ M.Tech. – Food Technology in Safety and Quality	6	-
2	Dairy Chemistry	2	-
3	Dairy Technology	2	-
4	Poultry Technology	-	6

## iii) M.Sc. degree programmes

Sl. No.	Disciplines	Campus – MVC, Chennai
1.	Biotechnology	3
2.	Dairy Science	5

## iv) Ph.D. (Veterinary and Animal Sciences)

Sl. No.	Disciplines	Campus	
		MVC, Chennai	VCRI, Namakkal
1	Animal Genetics and Breeding	2	2
2	Animal Husbandry Economics	2	1
3	Animal Nutrition	2	2
4	Animal Reproduction Gynecology and Obstetrics	2	2
5	Livestock Production and Management	2	2
6	Livestock Products Technology	4	3
7	Poultry Science	1	2
8	Veterinary Anatomy	1	2
9	Veterinary Biochemistry	1	1
10	Veterinary Biotechnology	3	-
11	Veterinary Extension Education	2	1
12	Veterinary Medicine	4	3
13	Veterinary Microbiology	3	1
14	Veterinary Parasitology	2	2
15	Veterinary Pathology	2	2
16	Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology	2	2
17	Veterinary Physiology	2	2

Sl. No.	Disciplines	Campus	
		MVC, Chennai	VCRI, Namakkal
18	Veterinary Public Health and Epidemiology	1	1
19	Veterinary Surgery and Radiology	2	2
20	Wild Life Science	2	-

#### **v) Ph.D. (Food Technology / Dairy Technology / Biotechnology)**

Sl. No.	Disciplines	Campus	
		MVC, Chennai	CFDT, Koduveli, Chennai
1	Ph.D. Food Technology		
	❖ Food Technology in Processing Technology	-	4
	❖ Food Technology in Process Engineering	-	4
	❖ Food Technology in Safety and Quality	-	4
2	Dairy Technology	-	2
3	Biotechnology	3	-

#### **vi) Postgraduate Diploma Programmes**

Sl. No.	Disciplines	MVC, Chennai
1.	Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosis	2
2.	Companion Animal Practice	6
3.	Small Animal Emergency and Critical Care Medicine	5
4.	Food Toxicology and Safety Management	2
5.	Dairy Processing and Quality System	2
6.	Molecular Biotechniques	3

## ANNEXURE – II

### CERTIFICATE OF NATIVITY IN TAMIL NADU

#### பிறப்பிடச் சான்றிதழ்

சான்றிதழ் எண் / Certificate No.

Dated:

This is to certify that Selvi / Selvan. \_\_\_\_\_ Son / Daughter / Wife of Thiru/Tmt. \_\_\_\_\_ residing at \_\_\_\_\_ an applicant seeking admission to Postgraduate Degree Programme(s) in Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Chennai-51 is a **Native of Tamil Nadu by birth.**

-----மாவட்டம், -----வட்டம் ----- கிராமம் /  
நகரம் -----என்ற முகவரியில் வசித்து வரும் செல்வன் /  
செல்வி-----தந்தை / தாயின் பெயர் திரு /  
திருமதி----- என்பவர் பிறப்பால் தமிழ்நாட்டைச் சார்ந்தவர் எனச்  
சான்றளிக்கப்படுகிறது.

Signature of

Signature

:

Village Administrative Officer

Name and Designation

:

(Not below the rank of  
Tahsildar)

of \_\_\_\_\_

Station

:

in the \_\_\_\_\_ Taluk

Office Seal

:

Of \_\_\_\_\_ District

Date

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**NOTE:** This certificate should be issued by an officer of the Revenue Department not below the rank of Tahsildar in the Taluk concerned.

## ANNEXURE – III

### FEES AND DEPOSITS<sup>#</sup>

**Each candidate selected to PG programme in TANUVAS is required to pay the following tuition fees, special fees, etc. as prescribed by the University (M.V.Sc. / M.Tech. / M.Sc. – 4 Semesters, Ph.D. – 6 Semesters, PG Diploma - 2 Semesters)**

Sl. No.	Particulars	I Semester (in Rs.)	II, IV and VI (for each Semester) (in Rs.)	III and V (for each Semester) (in Rs.)
1.	Tuition Fees	7500	7500	7500
2.	Examination Fees	7500	7500	7500
3.	<b>Special Fees</b>			
	(i) College Magazine	300	300	300
	(ii) University Calendar	75	-	75
	(iii) Library Fees	750	750	750
	(iv) Sports, Games charges	150	150	150
	(v) Computer charges	750	750	750
	(vi) Laboratory contingency fund	3000	3000	3000
	(vii) Registration, Enrolment fees	450	-	-
	(viii) Admission fees	450	-	-
	(ix) Syllabus	150	-	-
	(x) Identity Card	150	-	-
	(xi) Transport charges	150	-	150
	(xii) Day Scholar amenity	150	-	150
4.	<b>Other charges</b>			
	(i) Students Association	300	-	300
	(ii) Alumni Association	150	-	150
	(iii) Personal accident insurance fee	525	-	525
	(iv) Transcript card / Provisional degree certificate charges	500	-	-
	(v) Co-operative Society fees: (Membership fee Rs.10/- share Capital Rs.15/- and Trade deposit Rs.100/-*)	125	-	-
	(vi) Lab fund**	3000	3000	3000
	(vii) Library Caution deposit*	700	-	-
	<b>Total</b>	<b>26,825</b>	<b>22,950</b>	<b>24,300</b>

**\*\* Non-Refundable**

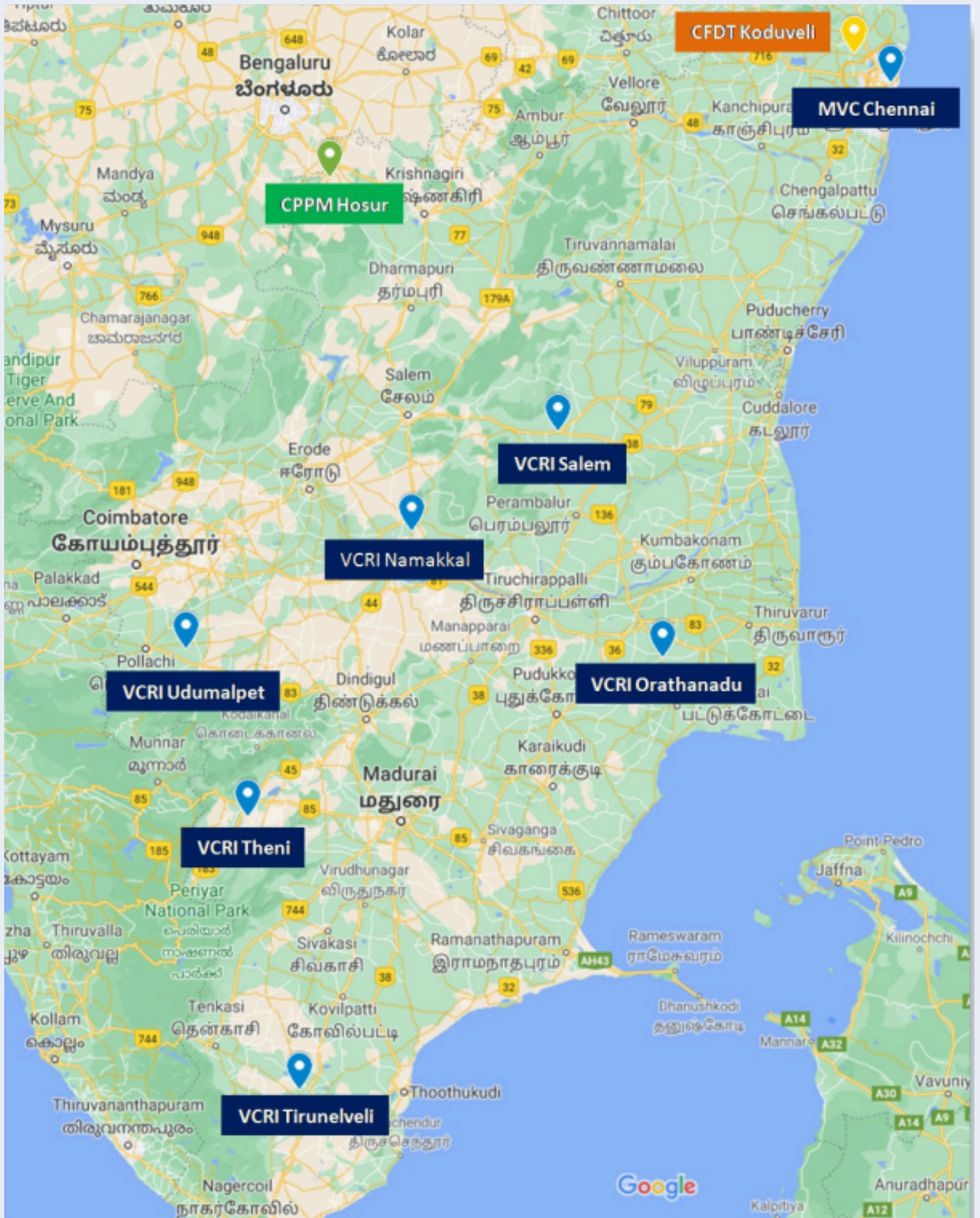
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- ❖ The student who enrolls for **MSc (Biotechnology)** shall be required to pay the above prescribed fee and an additional fee of Rs. 10,000/- as lab fees each for third and fourth Semesters.
- ❖ The student who enrolls for **PhD (Biotechnology)** shall be required to pay the above prescribed fee plus a lab fee of Rs. 10,000/- each in odd semesters (1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>).
- ❖ The student who enrolls for **PG Diploma in Molecular Biotechniques** shall be required to pay the above prescribed fee an additional fee of Rs. 10,000/- as lab fee during 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester.

<sup>#</sup> Revised as per proceeding USO.No.60139/R1/BOM-103 (TA-103-7-2)/2025, Dated. 16.07.2025 of the Registrar, TANUVAS, Chennai – 51.



# CONSTITUENT COLLEGES OF TANUVAS



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