

TAMIL NADU MUSIC AND FINE ARTS UNIVERSITY

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CHENNAI - 600 028

PROSPECTUS -2019-2020

Hon'ble Former Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu Dr.J.Jayalalitha established an University exclusively for Music, Dance and Fine Arts so as to preserve, foster, popularise, promote the traditional system of Indian Music, Performing Arts and Fine Arts practiced in Tamil Nadu, viz., The Tamil Nadu Music and Fine Arts University.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister is the Chancellor of this University. The Hon'ble Minister for Tamil Development, Culture and Archeology in Tamil Nadu is the Pro – Chancellor. The University introduces Postgraduate courses in Fine Arts, Vocal, Veena, Violin, Mridangam, Bharathanatyam and Nadaswaram from the academic year 2019-2020.

MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY

We strive for the development of music and fine arts and in furtherance of the advancement of learning and research, documentation, publishing of audio and video recording, popularizing all branches of music, fine arts and performing arts in the State of Tamil Nadu.

LOCATION

The Tamil Nadu Music and Fine Arts University is presently located in the campus of the Tamil Nadu Government Music College, Thendral Building Dr.D.G.S. Dinakaran Salai, Chennai-600 028.

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COURSES

The courses offered by the University departments are identified by a unique course code. A course involves lectures / tutorials / seminar / project work / practical training / report writing / Viva voce, etc or a combination of these, to meet effectively the teaching and learning needs and the credits are assigned suitably.

M.A. (2 Years Regular Course - Full time)

Tamil Nadu Music and Fine Arts University offers the following Post-graduate courses (Full-time) :-

Sl. No.	Department	Course	Eligibility Conditions
1.	Department of Vocal	M.A. Music – Branch I – Vocal	1. B.A. Degree in Music / Vocal. (OR) 2. Any UG Degree along with any one of the following: (a) Guru Certificate for experience of 3 years in specialized area, i.e.,Vocal, Veena, Violin, Nagaswaram, Mrdangam, Bharathanatyam (b) Graded Artist of the A.I.R. (c) Any Certificate/ Diploma in Music. <u>Pattern:</u> 10+2+ 3 Years UG Degree 11+1+ 3 Years UG Degree

2.	Department of String Instruments	M.A. Music – Branch II – Veena	<p>1. B.A. Degree in Music / Veena.</p> <p>(OR)</p> <p>2. Any UG Degree along with any one of the following:</p> <p>(a) Guru Certificate for experience of 3 years in specialized area, i.e.,Vocal, Veena,Violin, Nagaswaram, Mrdangam,Bharathanatyam</p> <p>(b) Graded Artist of the A.I.R.</p> <p>(c) Any Certificate/ Diploma in Music.</p> <p><u>Pattern:</u> 10+2+ 3 Years UG Degree 11+1+ 3 Years UG Degree</p>
		M.A. Music – Branch III – Violin	<p>1. B.A. Degree in Music / Violin.</p> <p>(OR)</p> <p>2. Any UG Degree along with any one of the following:</p> <p>(a) Guru Certificate for experience of 3 years in specialized area, i.e.,Vocal, Veena,Violin, Nagaswaram, Mrdangam,Bharathanatyam</p> <p>(b) Graded Artist of the A.I.R.</p> <p>(c) Any Certificate/ Diploma in Music.</p> <p><u>Pattern:</u> 10+2+ 3 Years UG Degree 11+1+ 3 Years UG Degree</p>

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3.	Department of Percussion Instruments	M.A. Music – Branch IV – Mrdangam	1. B.A. Degree in Music / Mrdangam. (OR) 2. Any UG Degree along with any one of the following: (a) Guru Certificate for experience of 3 years in specialized area, i.e.,Vocal, Veena,Violin, Nagaswaram, Mrdangam,Bharathanatyam (b) Graded Artist of the A.I.R. (c) Any Certificate/ Diploma in Music. <u>Pattern:</u> 10+2+ 3 Years UG Degree 11+1+ 3 Years UG Degree
4.	Department of Bharathanatyam	M.A. Music – Branch V – Bharathanat yam	1. B.A. Degree in Music / Dance/ Bharathanatyam. (OR) 2. Any UG Degree along with any one of the following: (a) Guru Certificate for experience of 3 years in specialized area, i.e.,Vocal, Veena,Violin, Nagaswaram, Mrdangam,Bharathanatyam (b) Graded Artist of the A.I.R. (c) Any Certificate/ Diploma in Music. <u>Pattern:</u> 10+2+ 3 Years UG Degree 11+1+ 3 Years UG Degree
5.	Department of Nagaswaram	M.A. Music – Branch VII – Nagaswaram	1. B.A. Degree in Music / Nagaswaram. (OR) 2. Any UG Degree along with any one of the following: (a) Guru Certificate for experience of 3 years in specialized area, i.e.,Vocal, Veena,Violin, Nagaswaram, Mrdangam,Bharathanatyam (b) Graded Artist of the A.I.R. (c) Any Certificate/ Diploma in Music. <u>Pattern:</u> 10+2+ 3 Years UG Degree 11+1+ 3 Years UG Degree

Note : Confirmation of Admission will be subject to the approval by the Authorities.

Entrance Examination/Oral Interview

Entrance examination/Oral Interview will be conducted by University tentatively on **July 24, 2019**.

Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)

Choice-Based Credit System is a flexible system of learning. 'Credit' defines the quantum of contents/syllabus prescribed for a course and determines the number of hours of instruction required. The distinguishing features of CBCS are the following:

It permits students to

- * choose electives from a wide range of elective courses offered by the University departments
- * undergo additional courses and acquire more than the required number of credits
- * adopt an inter-disciplinary approach in learning
- * make best use of the expertise of available faculty

Last Date for Submission of Application Form : 15-07-2019