



KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

NOTICE

No.KAUEDU/1570/2025-EDU F2

Dated. Vellanikkara, 29-09-2025

Sub : KAU- Education –Spot Admission to the vacant seats of Ph.D (RF mode) programmes for the academic year 2025-26 - reg.

Ref: Notification No. KAU EDU/745/2024-EDU F3 dated 04.06.2025 and prospectus(es) published in the KAU website on 04.06.2025

Spot Admission to the vacant seats of the following Ph.D (RF mode) programmes will be held on 10.10.2025 at Directorate of Education, KAU, Vellanikkara, Thrissur.

Details of eligibility required, no. of vacant seats and fees for both courses are given below:

Sl. No.	Name of Course & College/Station	Eligibility	Fee (In Rupees)	Vacant Seats
1.	Ph.D in Animal Science, (Communication Centre, Mannuthy, Thrissur)	M.V.Sc., MSc. Agriculture, M.Sc, Horticulture, M.F.Sc. or Master's Degree in any Life Science subject with Animal Science subject as electives at UG/PG level 55% marks or equivalent Overall Grade Point Average (OGPA) for the qualifying degree Remedial courses should be taken by all the candidates who do not have studied Animal Science/related subjects in their UG or PG programme	Admission Fee-10,000 Caution Deposit(Refundable)-5,000 Semester Fee-49,000	3
2.	Ph.D in Applied Microbiology	Candidates who have completed their	Admission Fee-15,000 Caution Deposit(Refundable)-15,000	5

(College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram)	Master's Degree in Microbiology/Life Science or Master's Degree in Agricultural Microbiology/Plant Pathology with a minimum of 60 % marks	Semester Fee-75,000	
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The Entrance examination for admission to the above programmes for the academic year 2025-26 will be conducted as per the following schedule.

SCHEDULE

Name of programmes	Ph.D in Animal Science and Ph.D in Applied Microbiology
Date of entrance examination	10.10.2025
Venue	Examination Hall, Old Headquarters, Kerala Agricultural University Main Campus, Vellanikkara, Thrissur - 680656
Reporting Time	10.00 AM
Exam Time	11.00 AM -12.30 PM
Duration	1 ½ Hour

- Candidates who failed to report for the entrance exam at the stipulated date and time will not be permitted to attend the examination. No further claim in this regard will be considered.
- The evaluation and interview will be conducted immediately after the exam and the admission will be held at the Directorate of Education, KAU, Vellanikkara in the afternoon on the same day.
- Note: For more detailed information, please see KAU Notifications and course prospectus(es) referred above.

The candidates for the admission to the above courses are hereby directed to **report in person** on the date, time and venue mentioned, along with the following original documents and fees. The candidate should produce all the original documents required by the University for verification purpose at the time of admission or in a stipulated time frame for producing the same in the case of 2025 passed out applicants failing which, their candidature for admission will be forfeited and admission shall be cancelled at any stage. No further claim in this regard will be entertained.

1. Proof of Date of Birth – Birth certificate/ Class X Certificate.
2. All Certificates and Mark sheets / Grade reports, related to Class X and Class XII
3. Final Mark lists / Grade reports and UG & PG Degree Certificates from the

concerned University

4. Physical Fitness Certificate issued by Medical Officer not below the rank of an Assistant Surgeon.
 5. Character / Conduct certificate (original) from the Head of the Institution last studies.
 6. Original Transfer Certificate (to be submitted within 3 working days only after confirming admission)
 7. Migration Certificate (original)
 8. Aadhaar Card
 9. Nativity Certificate
- Candidates are directed to keep sufficient photocopies of each certificate mentioned above with them at the time of admission.
 - Candidates should remit the following fee as per the notification/course prospectus at the time of admission.
 - a) Application Fee Rs.1500/- (Rupees One thousand and five hundred only), For SC/ST/PWD candidates Rs.750/- (Rupees Seven hundred and fifty only)
 - b) **Admission fee** as specified in the Prospectus/above table of the related course is to be remitted by all the candidates at the time of admission. **(Fee is collected by UPI / QR code)**
 - **Application fee and admission fee are Non-Refundable.**
 - The semester fee and caution deposit are to be remitted at the allotted institution at the time of registration of semester.
 - Candidates who fail to report in person for admission along with the documents as specified above or fail to remit the admission fee at the time of admission will lose their chance for admission without assigning any reason or any further notice.

Attention

- **This call to attend admission alone does not confers the candidates any right for admission/seat.**
- **The admission will be strictly based on the entrance examination & interview, vacancy of seats and submission of certificates at sanctioned time.**
- **This admission is under RF mode and hence, fee concession is not available to the candidates enjoying communal reservation.**

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For admission related queries, contact Directorate of Education helpdesk at +91-487-2438139 (10 AM to 5 PM on working days) or email to **hqreduf@kau.in**