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Uttarakhand State Sports University

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2(F), UGC ACT 1956

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PROSPECTUS
2026 – 27

Manaskhand Sports Complex • International Stadium • Gaulapar

THE FIRST OF ITS KIND IN UTTARAKHAND

A New Era of Sporting Excellence Begins Here

Uttarakhand State Sports University is the state's first dedicated university for sports education, training, research and innovation — conceived to place Uttarakhand at the forefront of Indian sport and to build champions for India's Mission Olympic 2036 and beyond.

04ACADEMIC &
COACHING SCHOOLS**300**SANCTIONED SEATS
2026 –27**2036**MISSION OLYMPIC
VISION**2(f)**

UGC RECOGNISED



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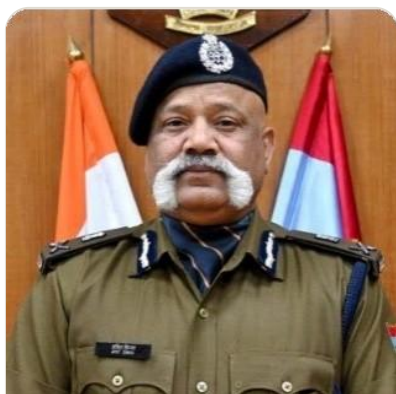
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Message from the Vice-Chancellor



Amit Kumar Sinha,
IPS

VICE-CHANCELLOR

*“The game has begun —
and the future is ours to
win.”*

Warm Greetings, It is with immense pride and heartfelt joy that I express my greetings to you all for the inaugural academic session of Uttarakhand State Sports University. The establishment of the University marks not just the beginning of a new institution, but the dawn of a transformative journey in sports education and excellence in our state. This university stands as a beacon of opportunity — for athletes, scholars, and visionaries alike.

Our mission is to nurture talent, foster discipline, and elevate sports to its rightful place in academia and society. We aim to blend rigorous training with cutting-edge research, creating leaders who will redefine the future of sports in India and beyond. As the first Vice-Chancellor, I am deeply honored to lead this endeavor. Together, we will build a legacy rooted in integrity, resilience, and innovation. Let this be a place where dreams are chased, records are broken, and character is forged.

To every student stepping into this arena: you are the pioneers. Your dedication will shape the culture and spirit of this university. To our faculty and staff: your guidance will be the cornerstone of our success. And to our partners and supporters: your belief fuels our vision.

Let us stride forward with courage and conviction.

Best Wishes,

Amit Kumar Sinha, IPS

Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand State Sports University

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About the University

Uttarakhand State Sports University (USSU), established under the **Uttarakhand State Sports University Act, 2025 (Act No. 12 of 2025)** and recognized by the University Grants Commission (UGC) under Section 2(f) of the UGC Act, 1956, It is the first dedicated Sports University of Uttarakhand, located at the Manaskhand Sports Complex, International Stadium, Gaulapar, Haldwani, Nainital. The University is envisioned as a center of excellence for sports education, training, research and innovation.

The University is committed to nurturing sporting talent and developing a world-class sports ecosystem through advanced education and professional training in Physical Education, Sports Science, Sports Coaching, Sports Management, Sports Journalism, and allied disciplines. By integrating academic excellence with practical training, scientific research, and high-performance sports, USSU aims to empower athletes, coaches, sports professionals, and researchers to achieve excellence at national and international levels.

With a vision to place Uttarakhand at the forefront of Indian sports, the University seeks to contribute significantly to the growth of the nation's sporting culture and strengthen India's position on the global sports stage.



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RECOGNITION
UGC 2(f)



CAMPUS
Gaulapar, Haldwani



MEDIUM
English & Hindi

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Vision, Mission & Core Values

OUR VISION

To serve as a global hub for sports education, scientific research, and high-performance athletic training — nurturing champions and leaders for India's Mission Olympic 2036 and beyond.

OUR MISSION

To foster research, share knowledge, and create innovative academic and training programmes in sports science, coaching, media, and management — in collaboration with international federations and elite academies.

WHAT WE STAND FOR

Core Values



SPORTSMANSHIP



INTEGRITY



INNOVATION



RESILIENCE



INCLUSIVITY



EXCELLENCE

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Why Choose USSU

A rare combination of world-class infrastructure, a globally benchmarked curriculum, and a natural high-altitude advantage — designed around the athlete.



Train Like an Olympian

Access to international-standard sports facilities at Manaskhand Sports Complex — including an Olympic-sized pool, stadium grounds, Hockey Turf Ground and synthetic arenas.



Globally Benchmarked Curriculum

Programmes designed referencing top international institutions such as Loughborough University (UK), German Sport University Cologne, and Deakin University.



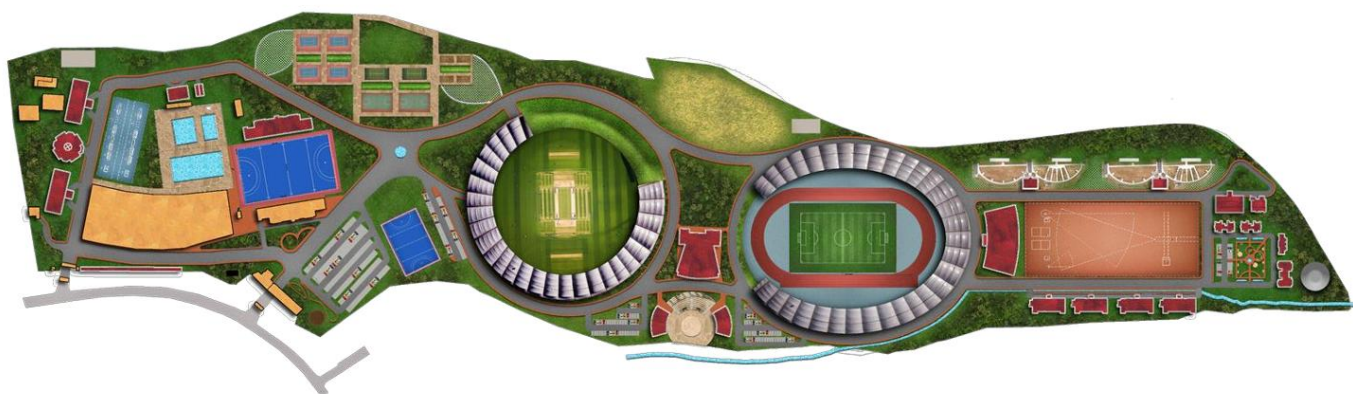
High-Altitude Advantage

Natural high-altitude environmental advantages of Uttarakhand for athletic endurance and performance tuning.



Flexible Dual-Career Model

Flexible attendance and academic structures so that elite national and international athletes never have to choose between education and sport.



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Multiple Entry & Exit Options — NEP 2020

In line with the National Education Policy 2020, undergraduate students may exit with a recognised qualification at the end of each stage — and re-enter to complete their degree.

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YEAR 1 · 2 SEMESTERS

40 Credits + 4-Credit Summer Internship

Exit qualification

UG CERTIFICATE

2

YEAR 2 · 4 SEMESTERS

80 Credits + 4-Credit Summer Internship

Exit qualification

UG DIPLOMA

3

YEAR 3 · 6 SEMESTERS

120 Credits

Degree awarded

BACHELOR' S DEGREE

4

YEAR 4 · 8 SEMESTERS

160 Credits

Degree awarded

BACHELOR' S (HONOURS WITH RESEARCH)

Flexible pathways. Each stage carries a nationally recognised credential under the Academic Bank of Credits, allowing students — especially elite athletes — to pause and resume their studies without losing academic progress.

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Schools & Departments

Four specialised schools deliver the University's academic and coaching programmes — each built for a distinct and fast-growing profession within the sports ecosystem.



Department of Sports Science

Sports Science is a largely untapped domain in Indian academia, and the country has an massive need for sports science professionals. The School of Sports Sciences aims to promote innovation and provide the technical support required by budding and high-potential athletes. The course offers a practical, scientific approach — focusing on the assessment and monitoring of athlete performance and on scientific interventions to enhance it. The curriculum is structured to foster innovative learning, professional competency and aptitude, and is designed to maximise career opportunities, with a vision to develop an internationally recognised curriculum in collaboration with global institutes and experts.



Department of Sports Management

Sports Management is a rapidly emerging and highly dynamic field, driven by the growing commercialisation, professionalisation and global integration of sport. With the expansion of leagues, events, academies, fitness industries and organisations, demand for skilled professionals is rising sharply. The Department aims to develop competent professionals capable of planning, organising, managing and promoting sports activities, events and organisations at national and international levels — by providing a strong foundation in administration, marketing, finance, event management, governance and human resources. Industry-oriented learning through case studies, fieldwork, internships and live-event exposure prepares students for careers across federations, clubs, leagues, academies, marketing agencies and sports.



Department of Sports Journalism

The Bachelor of Sports Journalism is a specialised undergraduate programme designed for the rapidly growing field of sports media and communication. It develops professional skills in sports reporting, broadcasting, digital journalism, writing, photography, anchoring and media production. With the rising popularity of sport and digital platforms, demand for qualified sports-media professionals is growing across television, print, radio, online portals and sports organisations. The course balances theory with practical exposure — news reporting, commentary, content creation, interviewing, media ethics, event coverage and digital storytelling — and provides hands-on experience through internships, live coverage, workshops and interaction with media experts, aiming to develop globally competent sports journalists.



Department of Sports Coaching

The Diploma in Sports Coaching is a one-year professional programme designed to develop skilled, competent coaches capable of training athletes from grassroots to elite level. It provides a strong foundation in coaching principles, sports science and sport-specific technical and tactical skills, while promoting ethical, athlete-centred practice. Classroom instruction is combined with extensive practical training in training methods, exercise physiology, sports psychology, biomechanics, nutrition, injury prevention, fitness assessment, talent identification, performance analysis, mental conditioning and competition management — reinforced through internships, coaching camps and field exposure.

For 2026–27, the Diploma is offered in nine disciplines — **Badminton, Hockey, Taekwondo, Karate, Basketball, Swimming, Ice Sports, Football And Boxing** — subject to availability of 20 applicants in each. Additional disciplines will be introduced based on infrastructure, faculty and demand.

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Programmes Offered

SECTION A — ACADEMIC & COACHING PROGRAMMES, 2026-27

#	PROGRAMME	DURATION	ELIGIBILITY	SEATS	MEDIUM	PROGRAMME FEE
1	Bachelor of Sports Science Honours with Research	4 Years	10+2, any stream (recognised Board)	40	Eng / Hindi	₹28,700 /sem + ₹5,500 hostel/sem · Mess fee extra
2	Bachelor of Sports Management Honours with Research	4 Years	10+2, any stream (recognised Board)	40	Eng / Hindi	₹28,700 /sem + ₹5,500 hostel/sem · Mess fee extra
3	Bachelor in Sports Journalism Honours with Research	4 Years	10+2, any stream (recognised Board)	40	Eng / Hindi	₹28,700 /sem + ₹5,500 hostel/sem · Mess fee extra
4	Diploma in Sports Coaching Badminton · Hockey , Taekwondo · Karate · Swimming · Basketball · Ice Sports · Football · Boxing	1 Year	Graduation (any discipline) + sports Participation/ in major internationally recognised competitions	20 each	Eng / Hindi	₹45,100 /year + ₹14,000 hostel/year · Mess fee extra

APPLICATION FEE

₹1,000

UR / OBC

₹500

SC / ST / PwD / EWS

Mode: **Online only**, via the University website. Non-refundable.

AT A GLANCE

- ◆ Total sanctioned intake: **300 seats** across four programmes.
- ◆ All programmes bilingual — English & Hindi.
- ◆ UG degrees awarded as Honours with Research (4 years, NEP 2020).

Note. Hostel accommodation is subject to a separate notification; limited seats are available for women candidates at the USSU campus. Mess fee will be decided later. *Sports-participation requirement applies to the Diploma in Sports Coaching (see Eligibility).

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Eligibility & Requirements

AGE LIMIT

- ◆ No age limit for admission to the undergraduate degree programmes.
- ◆ **Diploma in Sports Coaching:** 21–45 years as on the last date of application. Upper age relaxation of up to 5 years for eligible categories (see Diploma section).

MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION

All programmes are delivered **bilingually in English and Hindi**. The USSU Entrance Test is set in both languages.

SPORTS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENT

All applicants must demonstrate sports participation as a prerequisite:

B.S.S. · B.S.M. · B.S.J. · CERTIFICATE

Minimum participation at any level. Preference will be given to position holders.

DIPLOMA IN SPORTS COACHING

Two-time participation at National level (NSF / Association / SGFI / Khelo India), or two-time participation in All-India / Zonal Inter-University, or participation in any two of the above events.

Note 1 — Flexible attendance. Flexible attendance is designed for high-calibre athletes, particularly those in national camps (i.e., the Indian team). It accommodates elite athletes' rigorous training schedules while providing a comprehensive education in physical education and sport.

Note 2 — Mess fee. The mess fee will be decided and notified later.

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Mode of Admission

Admission is through the **USSU Entrance Test (USSU-ET 2026)** — an objective written examination for the UG programmes and the Diploma in Sports Coaching, and the first stage of selection.

EXAMINATION PATTERN

- ◆ **Duration:** 60 minutes · **Mode:** Offline
- ◆ **Type:** MCQ — 4 options, 1 correct answer
- ◆ **Marking:** +1 per correct answer; no negative marking (subject to revision)
- ◆ **Medium:** Bilingual — Hindi & English
- ◆ **Syllabus:** NCERT / CBSE Class XI–XII Physical Education, standard sports-science texts, current sports GK, and basic Hindi & English

WRITTEN TEST WEIGHTAGE

40 marks · UG programmes

25 marks · Diploma in Sports Coaching

USSU-ET — SECTION-WISE COMPOSITION (TOTAL 40 MARKS)

#	SECTION
1	General Awareness & Sports General Knowledge — current affairs, awards, records, tournaments
2	Sports Science Fundamentals — anatomy, physiology, biomechanics, sports psychology
3	Logical Reasoning & Analytical Aptitude
4	Language & Communication Skills — Hindi / English
Total — 40 Marks	

Selection procedure. The written entrance test is the first stage, followed by the Physical Efficiency Test (PET), Sports Skill Test (for the Diploma), Interview / Viva Voce, and Document Verification. Final selection is on merit and subject to physical and medical fitness.

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Physical Efficiency Test & Sports Weightage

Physical Efficiency Test (PET). The PET assesses the baseline physical competency of candidates. Conducted in person at the USSU campus (Gaulapar, Haldwani), it is based on the AAHPER / AAPHER Youth Fitness Test battery. The test is **mandatory**; a candidate failing to attend the PET will be disqualified from further selection, irrespective of other scores.

PET EVENTS & MARKING — ALL UG PROGRAMMES

#	TEST EVENT	FITNESS COMPONENT	MAX. MARKS	REFERENCE
1	50 m Sprint	Speed & Acceleration	05	AAHPER
2	Standing Broad Jump	Explosive Leg Power	05	AAHPER
3	Medicine Ball Throw (3 kg W / 5 kg M)	Upper-Body Strength	05	Standard
4	600 m Run / Walk	Cardiovascular Endurance	05	AAHPER
5	4 × 10 Shuttle Run	Agility	05	AAHPER
6	Bent-Knee Sit-ups	Core / Abdominal Strength	05	AAHPER
Total			30 Marks	

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENT WEIGHTAGE — UG PROGRAMMES (MAX 20 MARKS)

LEVEL OF COMPETITION	1ST	2ND	3RD	PART.
International — Olympics / World Champ. / Asian / Commonwealth Games	Direct Admission Eligible			20
International Championship (Recognised Federations)	19	18	17	16
National — Senior Nationals / National Games / Khelo India	16	15	14	13
Inter-University / Junior National / Youth National	13	12	11	10
State Level / SGFI National School Games	10	09	08	07
District / Zonal / Inter-College	07	06	05	04
Block / Inter-School	04	03	02	01

Note. Only the highest-level certificate per candidate is considered. Invitational / Open / Prize-Money / Memorial events will **not** be considered. Gender-specific norms will be notified as Annexure-A; re-attempts are not permitted and injury certificates are not accepted on the test day.

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Diploma in Sports Coaching — Selection

The University may adopt one of the following eligibility criteria and procedures for the Diploma in Sports Coaching.

CATEGORY A (I) Direct Admission — Eminent Sportspersons

Direct admission is available to eminent sportspersons who have **represented India in the Olympics**, or **participated in the Senior World Championship**, or **won a medal in the Asian / Commonwealth Games**. Such candidates are exempted from the written entrance test, PET and sports efficiency test; however, physical and medical tests apply as for other candidates. The application process remains the same. In addition to advertised vacancies, **four supernumerary seats** (two men, two women) are created for Category A (I).

ORDER OF RANKING (IF MORE THAN TWO CANDIDATES IN A DISCIPLINE)

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|---|--|
| 1. Medal in the Olympics | 2. Medal in Senior World Championship |
| 3. Participation in the Olympics | 4. Medal in Asian / Commonwealth Games |
| 5. Participation in Senior World Championship | Tie: older candidate is preferred |

Remaining eligible candidates in this category undergo the entire selection process on merit, as applicable to other candidates.

CATEGORY B Sports Achievement Criteria

A candidate must satisfy **any one** of the following:

OPTION 1

Participation in major internationally recognised competitions.

OPTION 2

Participation in any of: recognised Senior National Championships; Khelo-India University Games; All-India / Zonal Inter-University Games/ International Events

OPTION 3

Two-time participation in any of: recognised Junior / Youth National (NSF / SGFI); Inter-Services / Inter-Railways / All-India Police Games; Khelo-India Youth / School Games.

DIPLOMA IN SPORTS COACHING — MARKS DISTRIBUTION (TOTAL 100)

25 Written Test	15 Physical Fitness (PET)	30 Sports Skill Test	10 Interview / Viva
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+ Weightage of Sports Achievements **20 marks** = **Total 100 Marks** (subject to physical & medical fitness)

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENT MARKS — DIPLOMA

LEVEL	1	2	3	PART.
Olympics / World Champ. / Asian / CWG		Direct		20
International Championship (Recognised Feds.)	19	18	17	16
National — Senior Nationals / National Games	16	15	14	13
Inter-Univ / Jr & Youth Nat. / SGFI / Khelo India / Police / Railways / Services	13	12	11	10

INTERVIEW / VIVA PARAMETERS (10 MARKS)

Subject Knowledge & Sports IQ

Communication Skills & Personality

Coaching Aptitude & Motivation

Professional Experience / Sports Background

Total — 10 Marks

PHYSICAL FITNESS (MOTOR ABILITY) QUALIFYING TESTS — DIPLOMA

#	TEST	COMPONENT ASSESSED
i	30 m Flying Start	Speed
ii	Standing Broad Jump	Explosive Strength
iii	Shuttle Run 6 × 10	Agility
iv	Bend & Reach	Flexibility
v	1600 m Run	Endurance

Age & relaxation. Age limit is 21–45 years (as on the last date of application). Upper-age relaxation of up to **5 years** is

Employment. No candidate in employment (whole-time, part-time or honorary) is eligible to join without leave from the employer, from the date of admission to the completion of the one-year course; an affidavit to this effect must be submitted.

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Interview & Weightage Summary

INTERVIEW / VIVA VOCE — APPLICABILITY

- ◆ Diploma in Sports Coaching — 10 marks
- B.S.S. / B.S.M. / B.S.J. — 10 marks
- ◆ Candidates must wear appropriate sports attire (track suit / shorts and sports shoes) for the physical tests. A Medical Fitness Certificate (Annexure A) must be produced.

QUALIFYING REQUIREMENT

- ◆ For UG & Diploma programmes, in the qualifying examination minimum of **35% marks** (out of 100) is required overall.
- ◆ Failure to meet this disqualifies a candidate from merit listing.

COMPONENT-WISE WEIGHTAGE — MASTER SUMMARY

SELECTION COMPONENT	B.S.S. / B.S.M. / B.S.J.	DIPLOMA IN SPORTS COACHING
Written Entrance Test (USSU-ET)	40	25
Physical Efficiency / Fitness Test (PET / PFT)	30	15
Sports Skill Test (Technical + Achievement)	N/A	30
Interview / Viva Voce	10	10
Weightage of Sports Achievements	20	20
Total	100 Marks	100 Marks

Note. Detailed, event-wise performance norms are based on standard fitness norms, adjusted for Uttarakhand conditions, and gender-specific norms are notified separately as Annexure-A. A Medical Fitness Certificate in the prescribed format (Annexure A) must be submitted at the time of reporting at the USSU campus.

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Document Verification

Required documents — originals plus one self-attested set.

A Mandatory for all UG candidates

- ◆ Class X Mark Sheet & Certificate (date-of-birth proof)
- ◆ Class XII Mark Sheet & Certificate
- ◆ Migration Certificate (if applicable)
- ◆ Character Certificate from last institution (≤ 6 months old)
- ◆ Transfer Certificate (TC) from last institution
- ◆ Aadhaar Card (original)
- ◆ 6 recent passport-size colour photographs
- ◆ Medical Fitness Certificate (Govt. Hospital / PHC — USSU format)
- ◆ Self-Declaration: no physical deformity / disability (USSU format)
- ◆ Anti-Ragging Affidavit (UGC norms — at joining)
- ◆ Gap-Year Undertaking (Annexure-B), where applicable

B Additionally for Diploma programmes

- ◆ Graduation / Post-Graduation Degree or Provisional Certificate
- ◆ All semester / year mark sheets of graduation
- ◆ Migration / Eligibility Certificate from previous University

C Sports achievement certificates

- ◆ Original sports achievement / participation certificates
- ◆ Issued by recognised authorities: AIU / IOA / SAI / NSF / SGFI / State Sports Authority
- ◆ Genuineness verification may be required from the issuing body

D Additionally for reserved-category candidates

- ◆ SC / ST Caste Certificate (Tehsildar and above)
- ◆ OBC-NCL Certificate (Non-Creamy Layer; ≤ 1 year old)
- ◆ EWS Certificate (current year), competent authority
- ◆ PwD Certificate from competent medical authority (if applicable)
- ◆ Uttarakhand Domicile Certificate (for state-quota seats)

VERIFICATION PROCESS

- ◆ Verification by the Admission Committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor
- ◆ Any discrepancy leads to cancellation of candidature without notice
- ◆ Originals are mandatory; photocopies alone are not accepted
- ◆ Documents in languages other than Hindi / English must carry certified translations

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Final Merit List & Admission Process

MERIT CALCULATION

The final merit list is prepared out of **100 marks**. For UG & Diploma programmes, a minimum of **35% marks** in the qualifying examination (overall) is required — failure disqualifies a candidate from merit listing.

TIE-BREAKING CRITERIA (IN ORDER)

- 1 **Diploma:** higher marks in Sports Skill Test (technical)
- 2 **UG:** higher level of sports achievement (International > National > State > District)
- 3 Higher marks in the Written Entrance Test
- 4 Older candidate preferred
- 5 Alphabetical order of name — as a last resort

DIRECT / SPECIAL ADMISSION CATEGORY

Eligible (subject to Executive Council approval):

- ◆ Olympic / Paralympic Games — medal winner or participant
- ◆ World Championship / World Cup — medal winner
- ◆ Asian Games / Commonwealth Games — medal winner

Such candidates must still appear for Interview, Medical Examination and Document Verification. The direct-admission quota shall not exceed **10%** of the total sanctioned intake per programme.

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Admission Calendar

Key dates for the 2026–27 admission cycle. Candidates should visit www.ukssu.ac.in regularly for updates.

- 27 Jul 2026  Release of Admission Notification
- 27 Jul 2026  **Commencement of Online Applications**
- 19 Aug 2026  Last date for Online Application
- 20 Aug 2026  Admit Card download for Entrance Exam
- 23 Aug 2026  **Reporting & USSU Written Entrance Test (USSU-ET 2026)**
- 24–25 Aug  Physical Efficiency Test (PET) & Sports Skill Test (SST)
- 25–26 Aug  Interview / Viva Voce & Document Verification
- 27 Aug 2026  **Declaration of Final Merit List**
- 28 Aug 2026  **Fee Submission Begin**
- 29 Aug 2026  Inauguration Day
- 31 Aug 2026  Last date of fee submission

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General Instructions

ADMIT CARD

The Admit Card is issued provisionally, subject to eligibility, and will **not** be sent by post. Candidates must download it from the USSU website and appear as per the date, time and instructions given on it. Issue of an Admit Card does not by itself imply acceptance of admission. Candidates unable to download it may contact the Helpline: **+91-9259019907 / +91-8279928380 / +91-9870740988** (10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.).

FOR THE ADMISSION TEST

- ◆ Candidates must not alter any entry on the Admit Card, and should preserve it in good condition for future reference.
- ◆ Information provided in the Online Application Form — name, contact details, category, educational qualifications, date of birth, etc. — will be treated as final; requests for change will not be entertained.
- ◆ USSU disclaims any liability arising from incorrect information provided by the candidate in the Online Application Form.
- ◆ Candidates are advised to visit www.ukssu.ac.in regularly for the latest updates on the entrance examination.
- ◆ The entire application process for USSU-ET 2026–27 is online — including uploading of scanned images, payment of fees and printing of the confirmation page and admit card. No hard copies are to be sent by post, WhatsApp, email or by hand.
- ◆ Using or uploading another person's photograph or signature, or tampering with the Admit Card / result, will be treated as Unfair Means (UFM) and dealt with as decided by the Admission Committee.

Note. Admit Cards are issued only to eligible candidates. Candidates are advised to read all instructions on the Admit Card carefully in advance and to follow them during the examination.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

- ◆ Candidates must verify their eligibility before applying. The University bears no responsibility for ineligibility discovered later.
- ◆ The application fee is non-refundable under any circumstances.
- ◆ Misrepresentation, document forgery or unfair means will lead to permanent disqualification and legal action.
- ◆ Candidates must carry the Admit Card and a valid government-issued photo ID on all test days.
- ◆ The University reserves the right to alter or cancel test dates, venue or programmes due to administrative exigencies.
- ◆ Admission is provisional until all documents are verified and fees are fully paid.
- ◆ The anti-ragging policy of the UGC is strictly enforced. Ragging in any form is a criminal offence.
- ◆ The medium of instruction at USSU is English and Hindi (bilingual).
- ◆ For grievances, email **admissions@ussu.ac.in** or contact the Admission Helpdesk Number **+91-9259019907** at the University.
- ◆ The decision of the Vice-Chancellor / Admission Committee in all admission matters shall be final and binding.
- ◆ All information is communicated exclusively through www.ukssu.ac.in — candidates must check regularly.

APPLY ONLINE

www.ukssu.ac.in



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Reservation & Seat Distribution

Seat reservations follow the Reservation Policy of the Government of Uttarakhand and are subject to amendment by the State Government from time to time.

All seats are filled on merit. **50%** of total seats in a programme are filled on an **All-India basis**, and the remaining **50%** are reserved for students from Uttarakhand as per State Government policy [G.O. No. 1144/कामिक-2-2001-53(1)2001 dated 18 July 2001].

VERTICAL RESERVATION

CATEGORY	SHARE
Scheduled Castes (SC)	19%
Scheduled Tribes (ST)	4%
OBC (Non-Creamy Layer)	14%
EWS (per State norms)	10%

HORIZONTAL RESERVATION

CATEGORY	SHARE
Women Quota	30%
Defence / Ex-Servicemen (supernumerary)	5%
Dependent of Freedom Fighter	2%
Sports Quota (outstanding sportspersons)	≥5%

Reservation for women candidates. Women candidates are eligible for horizontal reservation only within their respective vertical category. Where the prescribed percentage of women in a category is already met through general merit, no additional horizontal-reservation benefit is admissible in that category.

Implementation. The reservation policy is implemented per prevailing orders, notifications and amendments of the Government of Uttarakhand; any modification by the State Government applies to admissions conducted by the University. The above reservation policy applies to undergraduate programmes only.

CONCESSIONS FOR KASHMIRI MIGRANT (DISPLACED) STUDENTS

In accordance with the guidelines of the Ministry of Education, Government of India, the following concessions are extended to eligible Kashmiri Migrant (Displaced) students:

+30 days

Extension of the last date for admission, wherever applicable.

up to 10%

Relaxation in the prescribed cut-off, subject to minimum eligibility.

Domicile

Waiver of the domicile requirement, per GoI guidelines.

These concessions are governed by the latest GoI guidelines and apply only to eligible candidates who produce the prescribed supporting documents at admission.

FOREIGN NATIONALS & NRI CANDIDATES

Foreign candidates should apply through proper diplomatic channels — the concerned Embassy or the Indian Council for Cultural Relations. Admission is based on credentials, eligibility, attainment of minimum qualifying marks in the admission test, rank in the merit list, medical fitness, verification of original documents, and such other criteria as prescribed by the University. An NOC from the respective Embassy must be submitted at the time of admission.

A campus open to talent from across India and the world.



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Seat Allotment & Fee Structure

SEAT ALLOTMENT PROCESS

- ◆ **Mode:** In-person / offline at USSU Haldwani — category-wise and programme-wise.
- ◆ Candidates are called in a ratio of **3× seats** per category; confirmation by fee payment within 24 hours.
- ◆ **Spot Admission** for seats vacant after Round 1; open to waitlisted candidates.
- ◆ **Fee Payment:** online (UPI / Net Banking / Debit / Credit Card) or DD in favour of "Uttarakhand State Sports University, Haldwani".
- ◆ A seat is confirmed only upon payment of the first instalment of fees.

FEE STRUCTURE

COMPONENT	UNDERGRADUATE (B.S.S. / B.S.M. / B.S.J.)	DIPLOMA IN SPORTS COACHING
Application Fee (non-refundable)	₹1,000 (UR / OBC-NCL / EWS) · ₹500 (SC / ST / PwD)	
Tuition Fee	₹28,700 per semester	₹45,100 per year
Hostel Fee	₹5,500 per semester (mess extra)	₹14,000 per year (mess extra)
Sports Development, Library & Examination Fees	As per University regulations	

Hostel. Notification for Hostel accommodation will be circulated separately; limited seats are available for women candidates at the USSU campus. The mess fee will be decided and notified later.

PART THREE

Annexures & Contact

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ANNEXURE A

Medical Certificate of Fitness

To be attached with admission / enrolment documents · Uttarakhand State Sports University, Haldwani

Certified that Dr. _____ has carefully examined:

Name of Candidate: _____

Father's / Mother's / Guardian's Name: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Gender: _____

Address: _____

Course / Programme Applied For: _____

Department / Faculty: _____

Based on the medical examination conducted on ____/____/____, the above-named candidate is found to be:

- ◆ Free from any contagious or communicable disease.
- ◆ Physically and mentally **fit / not fit** to pursue regular academic work, sports training, physical activity, and university routine.
- ◆ Having the following medical condition(s), if any: _____

The candidate has been examined with reference to general health, physical fitness, and ability to participate in academic and sports-related activities. This certificate is issued for submission to Uttarakhand State Sports University, Haldwani.

CANDIDATE' S DECLARATION

The information furnished is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature / Thumb Impression: _____

Place: _____ Date: _____

MEDICAL OFFICER' S CERTIFICATION

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Designation: _____

Registration No.: _____

Hospital / Clinic & Address: _____

Official Seal / Stamp Place / Date: _____

Note. This certificate must be issued by a registered medical practitioner holding a valid, recognised medical qualification. Any overwriting or alteration must be authenticated by the issuing officer. The University may require a further medical examination if considered necessary.

ANNEXURE B**Undertaking for Gap Year**

To be submitted during document verification by candidates with a gap of one year or more after the qualifying examination

I, _____ S/o · D/o · W/o _____,

resident of _____,

do hereby solemnly state and affirm as under:

1. That I am a resident of the above-said address.
2. That I have passed class _____ in the year _____ from _____
(School / College / Institute / University).
3. That I have not joined / been admitted to any School / College / Institution due to _____
(reason).
4. That there is a gap in my studies from _____ to _____.
5. That during this period I was not involved in any illegal activity, and no criminal case is pending against me in any court of law.
6. That I command a good reputation and respect among the general public.
7. That I have not availed a post-matric scholarship for the same programme from any College / University / Institute during the gap year.

(Signature of Deponent — Student)

VERIFICATION

Verified that the contents of the above undertaking are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that nothing has been concealed or misrepresented. In case the above facts are found incorrect, my admission may be cancelled by the University.

Date: _____ Place: _____

(Signature of Deponent — Student)

Prohibition of Ragging

The instructions for curbing ragging conveyed by the UGC (letter No. 1-15/2009 (ARC) pt. III dated 17.03.2017), in view of the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 08.05.2009 in Civil Appeal No. 887/2009, and the UGC Regulations on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009, are to be adhered to strictly. Ragging in educational institutions is banned, and anyone indulging in ragging is liable to be punished appropriately.

PUNISHMENT MAY INCLUDE

- ◆ Suspension or expulsion from the institution
- ◆ Withholding / withdrawing scholarships, fellowships and other benefits
- ◆ Forfeiting campus placement opportunities or recommendations
- ◆ Debarring from any test, examination or evaluation process
- ◆ Debarring from representing the institution in any meet or tournament
- ◆ Withholding results
- ◆ Suspension or expulsion from hostel or mess; cancellation of admission
- ◆ Lodging of an FIR with the local police; collective punishment where offenders cannot be identified

Any disorderly conduct — whether spoken, written, or by an act — that has the effect of teasing, treating or handling another student with rudeness, or indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activity causing or likely to cause annoyance, hardship, psychological harm or fear in a fresher or junior student; asking a student to do any act which causes shame or embarrassment; any abuse through electronic media; wrongful confinement, use of criminal force, assault, sexual offence, trespass, defamation or threat to defame — shall be deemed an act of ragging. As ordered by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in SLP (C) No. 24295/2004, if any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the concerned student shall be given the liberty to explain, and if the explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority may expel the student.

At the time of admission, applicants are required to submit an undertaking against ragging in the prescribed formats — **Annexure C** (student) and **Annexure D** (parent / guardian).

ANNEXURE C

Anti-Ragging Declaration — Student

I, _____ (full name of student) with admission / registration / enrolment No. _____, S/o · D/o Mr./Mrs./Ms. _____, having been admitted to _____ (name of the institution), have carefully read and fully understood the provisions of **The Prohibition of Ragging in Educational Institution Ordinance, 2012**.

1. I have, in particular, perused clause 2(f) of the ordinance and am aware of what constitutes ragging.
2. I have perused clause 8 of the ordinance and am fully aware of the penal and administrative action liable to be taken against me if I am found guilty of, or abetting, ragging — actively or passively — or being part of a conspiracy to promote ragging.
3. I hereby solemnly undertake that I will not indulge in any behaviour or act that may constitute ragging under the ordinance.
4. I will not participate in, abet, or propagate — through any act of commission or omission — anything that may constitute ragging under the ordinance.
5. I affirm that, if found guilty of ragging, I am liable for punishment according to the ordinance, without prejudice to any other criminal action under any law in force.
6. I declare that I have not been expelled or debarred from admission in any institution in the country on account of ragging; and affirm that, should this declaration be found untrue, my admission is liable to be cancelled.

Declared this _____ day of _____, _____.

Signature of the Student: _____

Name: _____

ANNEXURE D

Anti-Ragging Declaration — Parent / Guardian

I, Mr./Mrs./Ms. _____ (full name of parent / guardian), father · mother · guardian of _____ (full name of student with University Roll No. _____), having been admitted to _____ (name of the institution), have carefully read and fully understood the provisions of **The Prohibition of Ragging in Educational Institution Ordinance, 2012**.

1. I have, in particular, perused clause 2(f) of the ordinance and am aware of what constitutes ragging.
2. I have perused clause 8 of the ordinance and am fully aware of the penal and administrative action liable to be taken in case of being found guilty of, or abetting, ragging — actively or passively — or being part of a conspiracy to promote ragging.
3. I solemnly undertake that my ward will not indulge in any behaviour or act that may constitute ragging under the ordinance.
4. My ward will not participate in, abet, or propagate — through any act of commission or omission — anything that may constitute ragging under the ordinance.
5. I affirm that, if found guilty of ragging, my ward is liable for punishment according to the ordinance, without prejudice to any other criminal action under any law in force.
6. I declare that my ward has not been expelled or debarred from admission in any institution in the country on account of ragging; and affirm that, should this declaration be found untrue, my ward's admission is liable to be cancelled.

Declared this _____ day of _____, _____.

Signature of Parent / Guardian: _____

Address: _____

Name: _____

Telephone / Mobile: _____

E-mail: _____

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