

**Department of Social Work**  
**Mizoram University**  
**Aizawl -796 004.**

**Masters Programme in Social Work**

The Master's programme in Social Work, Mizoram University began in 2002. Since 2012, the department offers a generic programme of **88 Credits** under the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) with Continuous Assessment and Grading Pattern (CAGP).

**Eligibility**

A three years Bachelor Degree (Honours) in Arts, Science, Social Sciences (including Social Work) and Humanities

**Or**

A three years Non-Honours Bachelor Degree in Arts, Science, Social Sciences and Humanities with a minimum **63%** marks

**Intake Capacity**

Number of Seats : 30 (Thirty)

**MSW Admission Procedure, 2013**

Admission to MSW programme will be based on both the percentage of marks scored in the under-graduation (50% weightage) and marks secured in the admission test (50% weightage). The MSW admission test will comprise of three components viz., written test, group discussion and personal interview as per the details below.

**MSW Admission Test 2013**

	<b>Component</b>	<b>Marks</b>
<b>I.</b>	<b>Written Test*</b>	
	<b>1. Objective</b>	<b>50</b>
	a) English Comprehension and Grammar	25
	b) Reasoning and Numerical Aptitude	10
	c) Social Work Aptitude	10
	d) General Knowledge	5
	<b>2. Descriptive</b>	<b>30</b>
	Social Problems: Global, National, Regional and Local Contexts	
<b>II.</b>	<b>Group Discussion*</b>	<b>20</b>
	Social Problems: Global, National, Regional and Local Contexts	
		<b>Grand Total 100</b>
<b>III.</b>	<b>Interview*</b>	Personal Interview and Certificate verification

\*Attendance in each component of the Admission test (I-III above) is mandatory.

## Dates to Remember

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Display of First List</b> of Eligible Applicants for Admission Test (For completed applications received on or before 30<sup>th</sup> June 2013) in the <b>Notice Board and MZU Website.</b></li> </ul>	12 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	3 PM
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last date for submission of completed application and supporting documents for candidates whose results were awaited at time of application.</li> </ul>	25 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	5 PM
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Display of Second List</b> of Eligible Applicants for Admission Test (For completed applications received on or before 25<sup>th</sup> July 2013) in the <b>Notice Board and/ MZU Website.</b></li> </ul>	26 <sup>th</sup> July 2013	11 AM
<b>MSW ADMISSION</b>		
1. Written Test	29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	10:30 AM- 12.30 PM
2. Group Discussion	30 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	10:00 AM -4.00 PM
3. Personal Interview and Certificate Verification*	30 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	
Display of List of Provisionally Admitted Candidates	31 <sup>st</sup> July,2013	2 PM
Last date of payment of fess of provisionally admitted candidates and submission of Fee Receipt to Ms Rosie Rokhum, UDC, Department of Social Work**	2 <sup>nd</sup> August 12.PM	
Second list of selected candidates may be displayed on 2 <sup>nd</sup> August, 2013 at 5 PM only if seats are vacant.	2 <sup>nd</sup> August, 2013 up to 4 PM	
Commencement of 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester MSW Classes and orientation programme (Attendance is compulsory).	5 <sup>th</sup> August, 2013	

**\*All candidates are requested to bring the necessary Certificates (in original) in support of their candidature at the time of admission test without fail or their candidature will be summarily rejected.**

**\*\* Non-payment of fee and submission of receipt thereof will automatically cancel opportunity for admission and no further extension is permissible in this regard.**

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**Ph.D /M.Phil (Social Work) Admission 2013**

The department of social work offers Ph.D programme and M.Phil programmes. These programmes aim at sensitizing the scholars towards development concerns, in building research mindedness and ethics, and in strengthening capacity for conducting research.

**Eligibility for Admission**

- MA (Social Work) or MSW with a minimum of 55% (relaxation of up to 5 % for SC/ST candidates).

**Seats Availability**

The availability of seats for M.Phil and Ph.D Programmes according to specializations is as follows.

**Seats Availability**

<b>Specialization</b>	<b>No. of Seats</b>	
	<b>Ph.D</b>	<b>M.Phil</b>
Community Development(Tribal/Rural/Urban)	2	2
Family, Child and Youth Welfare	1	2
Health & Mental Health/ Sexuality/Gender/ Disability	2	2
Others	0	1
Total	5	7

**Ph.D /M.Phil Admission Test 2013**

The admission to Ph.D/M.Phil is based on PG Marks and Admission test. Equal weightage will be given to percentage of marks in post-graduation (Additional 15 Marks for MSWs from MZU) and marks secured in the admission test. The Ph.D/M.Phil admission test assesses the candidate's social work research aptitude. The admission test will have three components viz., written test, presentation of

research proposal and personal interview as per details given below. For admission into PhD/M.Phil (SW) programme **attendance in all the components is mandatory (including candidates with NET and JRF)** and non-attendance in any of these would disqualify the candidature automatically. However, the Ph.D candidates who have completed M.Phil (Social Work) coursework will be exempted from appearing for written test only. All other components of admission test are mandatory even for them.

<b>Component</b>	<b>Syllabus</b>	<b>Marks</b>
<b>Written Test</b>		
<b>Objective</b>	Social Work Research and Statistics	20
<b>Subjective</b>	Social Work Research and Statistics	30
	Analysis and Interpretation of Social Data	20
<b>Oral Presentation</b>	Research Proposal *	20
<b>Personal Interview</b>		10
	<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>

\* Each candidate has to prepare an original research proposal on a topic of interest in advance and make a power point presentation (10 Minutes) and defend the same in front of the experts and other candidates. The research proposal may include sections like Title, Introduction, Overview/Review of Literature, Statement of the Problem, Research Questions/Objectives/Hypotheses, Methodology, Chapter Scheme and references.

### **Submission of Applications**

The candidates who have already submitted application are expected to furnish their phone numbers (Cell) and email ids in their applications without fail. They are required to send their email id as well as cell numbers to the department email or the coordinator's email only ([departmentofsocialwork@gmail.com](mailto:departmentofsocialwork@gmail.com), [mekanagaraj@gmail.com](mailto:mekanagaraj@gmail.com)).

### Important Dates to Remember

Last date for submission of Applications	<b>30<sup>th</sup> June 2013</b>
Display of List of Eligible Applicants for Admission Test	<b>15<sup>th</sup> July 2013, 4:00 PM</b>
<b>Ph.D/ M. Phil Admission Test</b>	
1. Written Test	<b>26<sup>th</sup> July 2013 10.30 AM -12.30 PM</b>
2. Research Proposal Presentation	<b>26<sup>th</sup> July 2013 1 - 3 PM</b>
3. Personal Interview and Certificate Verification*	<b>26<sup>th</sup> July 2013 3 – 4.30 PM</b>
Display of List of Provisionally Admitted Candidates	<b>29<sup>th</sup> July 2013</b>
Last date of payment of fees of provisionally admitted candidates	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> August 2013</b>
Commencement of Ph.D/M.Phil Coursework	<b>5<sup>th</sup> August 2013</b>

**\* All candidates are requested to bring the necessary Certificates (in Original) in support of their candidature at the time of admission test.**

**\* In case they have undertaken research projects (MSW/M.Phil) and published papers the dissertations/publications are also to be mandatorily produced before the interview panel.**

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5. The Systems Administrator, Mizoram University with a request to display on MZU website.