

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION  
LOK SABHA  
STARRED QUESTION No.99  
ANSWERED ON 29.07.2024**

**Vacant Teaching Posts in Central Universities**

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Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of teaching posts lying vacant in various Central Universities across the country particularly in Maharashtra;
- (b) whether the Government is taking any concrete steps to fill the said vacant posts;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor, State-wise;
- (d) whether a single window portal has been launched to fill the vacant posts in the Central Universities; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION  
(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)**

- (a) to (e) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 99 FOR ANSWER ON 29<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2024 ASKED BY DR. BACHHAV SHOBHA DINESH, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING VACANT TEACHING POSTS IN CENTRAL UNIVERSITIES:-**

(a) to (e) Central Universities under the Ministry of Education are statutory autonomous organizations established under respective Central Acts of Parliament and governed by provisions of the Acts/Statutes/Ordinances/Regulations made thereunder. There is one Central University namely Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Wardha in State of Maharashtra. As on 01.04.2024, there are 5060 vacant teaching posts in Central Universities, including 15 vacant teaching posts of Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Maharashtra.

Occurring of vacancies and filling thereof is a continuous process. The vacancies arise due to retirement, resignation and additional requirements on account of enhanced students' strength; the onus of filling up the posts lies on the Central Universities (CUs). Ministry of Education and University Grants Commission (UGC) regularly monitor the institutions and the Central Universities have been directed to fill up the vacancies in regular mode. Through special recruitment drives more than 6800 teaching positions have been filled in the Central Universities.

UGC has launched a unified recruitment portal called CU-Chayan on 02.05.2023 to provide a common platform for listing of vacancies/advertisement/jobs across all Central Universities.

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