

CUET PG 2026: Preliminary Score Analysis & Cut Off Discussion

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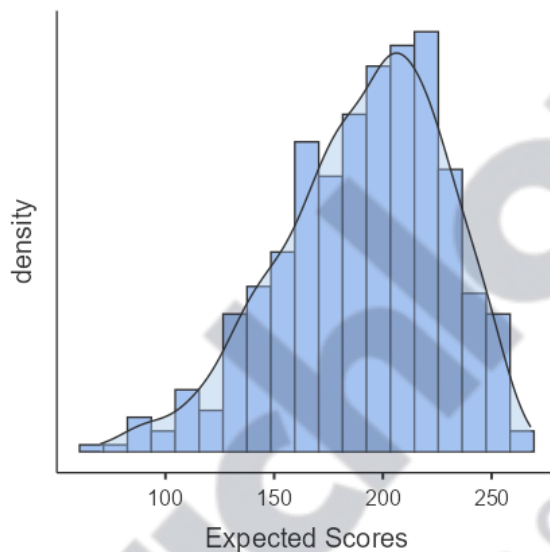
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We have collected CUET PG 2026 scores to discuss expected cutoffs based on student responses. Below is a preliminary analysis based on the data received so far (n=495)

Expected Scores



Descriptives

| | Expected Scores |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| N | 495 |
| Mean | 191 |
| Median | 197 |
| Mode | 170 |
| Standard deviation | 37.4 |
| Minimum | 70 |
| Maximum | 268 |
| 25th percentile | 168 |
| 50th percentile | 197 |
| 75th percentile | 220 |
| 99th percentile | 254 |

Cutoff Discussion

Based on the present trend, the anticipated cutoff range is likely to be:

- **Top universities (TISS, DU, NFSU, AUD, BHU):** Based on current distribution, competitive range appears to begin around 230+, with top colleges likely closing closer to 240+ depending on total test-takers and seat availability.
- **Mid-range universities (Central Universities across India):** 210-230

NOTE: These ranges are indicative and may shift as more data becomes available.

Student Positioning

To help interpret your standing:

| Score | Approx. Percentile |
|-------|--------------------|
| 170 | 30-35 percentile |
| 190 | 50 percentile |
| 210 | 70 percentile |
| 220 | 75-80 percentile |
| 230 | 85 percentile |
| 240 | 90-92 percentile |
| 250+ | 98-99 percentile |

- **Above 230:** relatively safer range based on current data
- **200-230:** borderline range, outcome may vary
- **Below 200:** lower probability for majority institutions, but other options remain

We will continue updating this analysis as more responses are collected. Those who have not submitted their scores yet can do so to improve the accuracy of the prediction.

Submit Here: <https://forms.gle/SKrN9Aa4mtaB9MfC8>

Overall Cutoff Trend Analysis (Previous Years 2024-25 vs 2026)

Based on trends observed in previous years, CUET PG cutoffs in 2024 and 2025 were consistently in the range of **260-290**. This was largely due to the relatively easy to moderate difficulty level of the paper, where a significant proportion of students scored above average, pushing the cutoff higher.

In contrast, the 2026 paper was reported to be considerably more difficult. This is reflected in the current response data, where a majority of students are scoring lower compared to previous years.

Given this shift in difficulty level and score distribution, it is likely that the cutoff for 2026 will be **lower than the past 2 years**. However, the exact extent of the decline will depend on factors such as normalization and the overall performance across all test slots.

Cutoffs are primarily driven by the top score cluster, and current data suggests a thinner high-score range compared to 2024-2025.

Disclaimer

This analysis is based on crowd-sourced data and statistical estimation techniques. While efforts have been made to ensure reasonable accuracy, the results are not definitive and do not guarantee actual CUET cutoffs or percentiles.

Actual outcomes may vary depending on multiple factors including exam difficulty, normalization process, number of test-takers, and institutional admission policies. This is intended purely for informational and guidance purposes, not as a prediction with 100% certainty.

What Next Now?

This year's paper was genuinely on the tougher side, and if you're feeling a little shaken or unsure right now, that makes complete sense. But also, one exam does not decide your entire journey.

Even if CUET doesn't go exactly how you planned, there are still **amazing colleges and opportunities ahead** like Christ, MAHE, Xavier's, JMI, Montfort and so many more. What matters now is knowing your options and planning your next steps smartly.

That's exactly why we hosted a webinar with current students from these colleges, where they broke down everything you actually needed:

- Admission timelines, Entrance process, exam pattern
- Syllabus and preparation strategy
- Best resources
- Interview format, transcript and cracking tips
- Their personal prep journeys & final days plan

If you're feeling confused about what to do next, this will give you **clarity and direction**.

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- ◆ **Understanding Each University**
 - Location and Campus environment
 - Courses Offered and Specialisations
 - Entrance Timeline & Important Dates
- ◆ **Complete Selection Process Breakdown**
 - Entrance Exam: Syllabus, Pattern, Marking Scheme
 - Interview: Transcripts, Panel, Evaluation Criteria
- ◆ **How to Prepare in Limited Time**
 - Focused Preparation strategies & Resources
 - How this differs from & overlaps with CUET PG
- ◆ **Real Student Insights (Unfiltered)**
 - Unfiltered Course Reviews
 - Pros and Cons of each university
- ◆ **Essential Details You Must Know**
 - Number of Seats & Fee structure
 - Course Timeline and Academic Calendar
- ◆ **Bonus:**
 - Live Q&A with Speakers from these Universities
 - Preparation Guidance tailored to your situation

Do NOT make this mistake!

At this stage, trying to go back to textbooks and cover everything from scratch can feel a bit overwhelming (and honestly, not very efficient).

What tends to help more now is having something that's already **condensed, structured, and easy to revise** where you're not constantly switching between sources or confused about what to study.

A lot of students find it easier to work with material that's:

- **Put together** in one place
- **Simplified** in an easy to understand manner (**yes, stats and biopsychology too**)
- **Visually appealing** and organised for quicker recall
- And still made using **actual reference books, not AI**

If you're looking for something like that right now, you can go through a sample here:

<https://the-psychlopedia.learnyst.com/learn/Masters-Entrance-Notes>

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