



Nepal Open University
Manbawan, Lalitpur

Faculty of Social Sciences and Education

Syllabus for Entrance Test: MPhil Degree

Programs: MPhil in Economics

Examination Type: Written Test (Designed to Test Content and Communicative Competence)

Subject Area and Questions

a. Question Types	1. Short Answer Questions: 40% 2. Long Answer Questions: 60%
b. Duration of Examination	• 3 Hours
c. Medium of Test	• English
d. Subject Area of Entrance Test	Description of the course
1. Research Methodology: 30%	Research Philosophy, Research Problem, Research Methods, Literature Review, Techniques/Tools of Data Collection, Population and Sampling, Data Analysis and Ethical Considerations
2. Subject Specialization: 70%	Understanding of the Concepts, Models and Theories; Critical Analysis of Recent Trends and Issues in Concerned Subject Areas

Matrix of Questions Types and Study Area

Question Types/ Study Area	Research Methodology	Subject- Specific Knowledge	Total Questions	Total Marks
Short Ans. Questions	2	3	5 X 8	40
Long Ans. Questions	1	4	4 X 15	60
Total	30	70		100

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