

Ashoka Education Foundation's
Ashoka International Centre for Educational Studies and Research (AICESR), Nashik
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION CELL REPORT
Academic Year 2025–26

1. Brief Introduction

The **Competitive Examination Cell of AICESR** works towards creating awareness and providing academic guidance to B.Ed. students and other aspirants preparing for various competitive examinations. The Cell organizes orientation programmes, expert sessions, workshops and examination-oriented coaching for examinations such as **NET, SET, CTET, TET, B.Ed. CET and ELCT**. The initiatives focus on developing examination awareness, conceptual understanding, problem-solving skills, research aptitude and confidence among student-teachers.

2. Major Achievements

The Competitive Examination Cell successfully conducted a series of examination-oriented activities during the academic year 2025–26. A major achievement was the organization of a **six-day NET/SET Workshop**, covering important areas such as General Paper I, Research Aptitude, Mathematical and Logical Reasoning, Communication, Reading Comprehension, ICT and Teacher Aptitude.

The Cell also conducted a **CTET Workshop** and an **Online Free B.Ed. CET and ELCT Crash Course**, thereby providing students with structured guidance for multiple competitive and entrance examinations.

3. Total Number of Activities Conducted

Total Number of Activities: 5

4. Activity-wise Details

1. Session on Enhancing Reading Habits

Date: 14th October 2025

Resource Person: Dr. Prakash Barve, YCMOU, Nashik

Brief Description:

A session on “**Enhancing Reading Habits**” was organized for F.Y. B.Ed. students of the 2025–27 batch by the Library Department. The session aimed to develop regular and purposeful reading habits among student-teachers. Dr. Prakash Barve guided students on effective reading practices and the importance of reading for academic and professional development. The session encouraged students to develop sustained interest in reading and self-learning.

2. NET/SET Workshop – Day 1

Activity: Inaugural Programme and Session on General Paper I Guidance

Date: 8th December 2025

Resource Persons:

- **Dr. Vilas Nandavadekar**
- **Dr. N. R. Telrandhe**
- **Prof. Gokul More**

Brief Description:

The six-day NET/SET Workshop commenced with an inaugural programme followed by a guidance session on **General Paper I**. The session familiarized participants with the structure and expectations of the examination and provided guidance on effective preparation strategies. The resource persons emphasized systematic study, conceptual clarity and regular practice. The session motivated participants to undertake structured preparation for the NET/SET examination.

3. NET/SET Workshop – Day 2

Activity: Session on Research Aptitude

Date: 9th December 2025

Resource Person: **Dr. Manisha Shirsath**

Brief Description:

The second day of the NET/SET Workshop focused on **Research Aptitude**. The session addressed important concepts related to research methodology, research processes and examination-oriented preparation. The resource person explained key concepts through relevant examples and guided participants on approaching questions effectively. The session strengthened participants' understanding of research aptitude for competitive examinations.

4. NET/SET Workshop – Day 3

Activity: Session on Mathematical and Logical Reasoning

Date: 10th December 2025

Resource Person: **Dr. Parmeshwar Biradar**

Brief Description:

The third day focused on **Mathematical and Logical Reasoning**, an important component of General Paper I. The resource person explained reasoning concepts and problem-solving approaches relevant to NET/SET preparation. Participants were guided to develop accuracy and logical thinking through practice-based learning. The session enhanced confidence in handling mathematical and reasoning questions.

5. NET/SET Workshop – Day 4

Activity: Session on Communication

Date: 11th December 2025

Resource Person: Dr. Santosh Khirade

Brief Description:

The fourth day of the workshop focused on **Communication**. The session covered important concepts related to communication processes and examination-oriented questions. The resource person provided conceptual guidance and highlighted strategies for understanding and answering communication-based questions. The session helped participants strengthen their conceptual understanding and examination preparedness.

6. NET/SET Workshop – Day 5

Activity: Session on Reading Comprehension

Date: 12th December 2025

Resource Person: Dr. Priti Sonar

Brief Description:

The fifth day focused on **Reading Comprehension**, an important area of General Paper I. The session aimed to develop participants' ability to understand, analyse and interpret passages within the stipulated examination time. Dr. Priti Sonar provided guidance on comprehension strategies and question-solving techniques. The session enhanced participants' confidence in approaching reading comprehension questions.

7. NET/SET Workshop – Day 6

Activities:

- Session on Information and Communication Technology
- Session on Teacher Aptitude
- Valedictory Programme

Date: 13th December 2025

Resource Persons:

- Dr. Ganesh Mudegaonkar – ICT
- Dr. Sanjeevani Mahale – Teacher Aptitude
- Dr. Pradnya Wakpajjan – Valedictory Programme

Brief Description:

The sixth and concluding day covered **Information and Communication Technology (ICT)** and **Teacher Aptitude**, followed by the valedictory programme. The sessions provided examination-oriented guidance on key concepts and helped participants consolidate their preparation for General Paper I. The workshop concluded with reflections and encouragement for continued preparation. The programme provided comprehensive academic support across major components of the NET/SET examination.

8. CTET Workshop

Date: 24th January 2026

Resource Person: AICESR Faculty and 3 Alumni- Ms. Anisha Birla 23-25 Batch, Ms. Krishika Lalwani 20-22 Batch, Ms. Pooja Ugale 20-22 Batch

Brief Description:

A **CTET Workshop** was organized to provide student-teachers with focused guidance for the Central Teacher Eligibility Test. The workshop aimed to familiarize participants with the examination pattern, important areas of preparation and effective strategies for attempting the examination. The activity supported students in strengthening their examination readiness and confidence. It also encouraged systematic preparation for teacher eligibility examinations. Subject wise the sessions were conducted.

9. Online Free B.Ed. CET and ELCT Crash Course

Date: 22nd to 25th March 2026

Resource Persons: AICESR Faculty

Brief Description:

An **Online Free B.Ed. CET and ELCT Crash Course** was organized to support aspirants preparing for B.Ed. entrance examinations. The programme provided focused guidance on important examination areas and preparation strategies. AICESR faculty members supported participants through online academic sessions and examination-oriented guidance. The initiative extended institutional academic support to prospective B.Ed. aspirants and helped them prepare systematically for the entrance examinations.

5. Important Photographs with Captions

Poster for the NET SET Workshop




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National Level Online Workshop on NET/SET Exam
 Organized by
IQAC & Competitive Exam Cell
Date : 8th to 13th December, 2025
TIME : 11.00 AM to 1.00 PM

Expert Speakers



Dr. Sanjeevani Mahale
 Director,
 School of Education,
 YCMOU



Prof. Gokul More
 Asst. Professor
 Samarth B.Ed. College,
 Nashik.



Dr. Ganesh Mudegaonkar
 Asst. Professor, Sangmeshwar
 College, Solapur, Master
 Trainer of Competitive Exams



Dr. Parmeshwar Biradar
 QAG Head,
 AEF,HE



Dr. Santosh Khirade
 K.B.C. North Maharashtra
 University, Jalgaon



Dr. Manisha Shirsath
 Asst. Professor,
 ACBCS, Nashik



Dr. Priti Sonar
 IQAC Coordinator,
 AICESR, Nashik.

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ORGANIZING TEAM

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Inaugural Programme of the Six-Day NET/SET Workshop held on 8th December 2025.

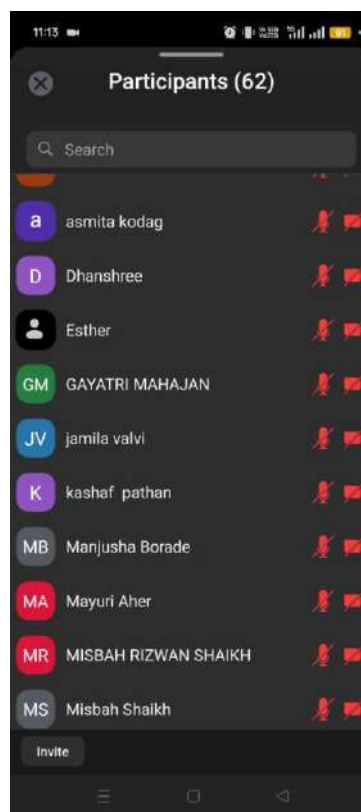
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Online National Level Workshop on
NET/SET Exam
Organized by
Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
in collaboration with
Competitive Exam Cell


Chief Guest
Dr. Vilas Nandavadekar
Registrar,
S.N.D.T. Women's University, Mumbai

Date : **8th December, 2025** | Time : **11.00 AM**
Online Mode via Zoom

Attendance Screenshot the NET SET Workshop



Valedictory Programme of the Six-Day NET/SET Workshop held on 8th December 2025.

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Chief Guest for Valedictory
Prof. Dr. Pradnya Wakpainjan
Head, Dept. of Education,
SNDT Women's University, Mumbai.

Date : 13th December, 2025 | Time : 1.00 PM

CTET Workshop conducted for B.Ed. student-teachers.



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CTET Workshop

Under the Initiative of
IQAC & Competitive Exam Cell

Organised from

24th January, 2026 onwards
Venue – Ashoka Campus

Workshop Coordinator Ms. Samruddhi Chepe	IQAC Coordinator Dr. Priti Sonar	I/c Principal Dr. Sarita Verma
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Poster for the B.Ed. CET and ELCT Crash Course



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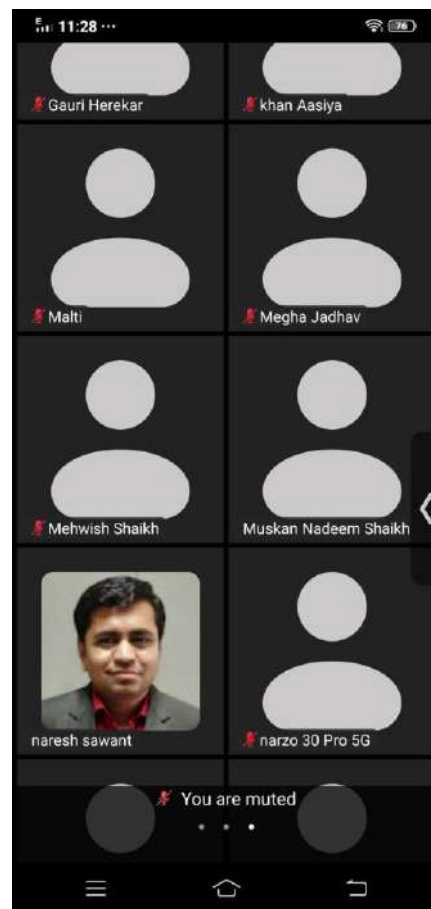
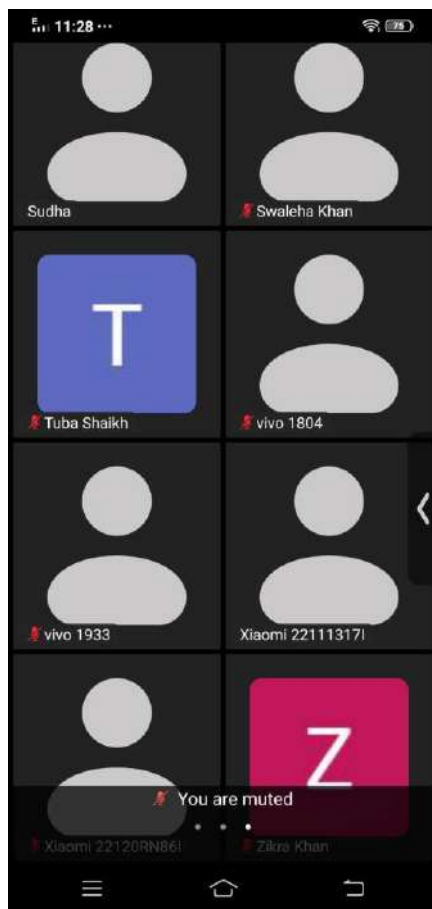


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Online Free B.Ed. CET and ELCT Crash Course conducted by AICESR faculty.



CTET 2024 Passed Students Poster



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Congratulations !!

for

'Qualifying for CTET Exam 2026'



Ms. Tanuja
Pal



Ms. Swati
Patil



Ms. Priyanka
Gaikwad



Ms. Vaishnavi
Jadhav



Ms. Vidya
Pekhale



Ms. Shiba
Shaikh



Ms. Priya
Mojad



Ms. Anu
Aneesh



Ms. Usha
Sangtani



Ms. Jamila
Hakimjiwala

TEAM AICESR proud of you!

Overall Outcome

The activities of the **Competitive Examination Cell** provided structured academic support and examination-oriented guidance to B.Ed. students and aspirants. 5 students and 5 alumni cleared the CTET Exam. The programmes focused on developing conceptual clarity, research aptitude, reasoning ability, communication skills, comprehension skills, ICT awareness and teacher aptitude. The initiatives contributed to strengthening students' preparedness and confidence for **NET, SET, CTET, B.Ed. CET and ELCT examinations.**

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