

# Mphil

MPhil or Master of Philosophy is a postgraduate academic research programme that is of two years duration. Candidates from any stream – [Humanities](#), [Commerce](#), [Science](#), [Law](#), [Teaching](#) etc. can pursue an MPhil course. In an MPhil course, aspirants need to study theory as well as practical subjects. Apart from this, candidates also need to conduct research and present their research findings. After completing MPhil course candidates can consider pursuing a [PhD](#) programme.

Aspirants who are interested in pursuing an MPhil course, need to first meet the eligibility criteria set. The criteria may vary under different universities, however, the basic eligibility set is that candidates need to have secured at least 55% marks in the subject in which they want to pursue an MPhil degree at the postgraduate level.

Candidates are usually shortlisted for admission in an MPhil course on the basis of their performance in an entrance exam followed by a Personal Interview (PI) round.

Some popular MPhil programmes that candidates can pursue in different streams are listed below:

<a href="#">MPhil History</a>	<a href="#">MPhil Economics</a>	<a href="#">MPhil Linguistics</a>
<a href="#">MPhil English</a>	<a href="#">MPhil in Geography</a>	MPhil in Sociology
<a href="#">MPhil in Political Science</a>	<a href="#">MPhil Hindi</a>	<a href="#">MPhil Public Administration</a>
MPhil in Humanities & Social Science	MPhil in Human Development Studies	<a href="#">MPhil Social Work</a>
MPhil in Applied and Regional Economics	MPhil + PhD in Arts	
<a href="#">MPhil in Biology</a>	<a href="#">MPhil in Chemistry</a>	<a href="#">MPhil Physics</a>
MPhil in Life Sciences	<a href="#">MPhil Biotechnology</a>	<a href="#">MPhil Botany</a>
<a href="#">MPhil in Computer Science</a>	<a href="#">MPhil in Zoology</a>	MPhil in Clinical Psychology
<a href="#">MPhil in Mathematical Sciences</a>	MPhil Degree in Aquatic Biology and Fisheries	
<a href="#">MPhil Commerce</a>		
<a href="#">MPhil in Law</a>		
MPhil in Education	MPhil (Physical Education)	

## Required Skills for MPhil

Aspirants who want to pursue an MPhil programme need to have an interest in the subject that they want to pursue. Apart from this, candidates need to be extremely hard-working and

dedicated when they think of pursuing an MPhil course. Some key skills that an aspirant should possess while pursuing an MPhil course are listed below:

Good Analytical Skills	Good Reasoning Skills
Dedicated	Hard-Working
Inquisitive	Good at Research
Self-Motivated	Keen Observer
Good Writing Capacity	Organised

## **MPhil Eligibility Criteria**

Candidates can pursue an MPhil course if they have completed their master's degree in a related field in which they want to pursue an MPhil course. Apart from this, some colleges also specify that candidates should have secured at least 55% marks at the postgraduate level in the subject in which they want to pursue an MPhil degree.

The subjects taught as part of an MPhil course may vary from one college to the other. Aspirants can view the topics taught in some popular MPhil programmes in the table below: