

Government of India
National Commission for Minorities

Date: 3.3.2026

Subject: Invitation of Research Papers on “Buddhism in Modern India: Navigating Cultural and Social Pathways”

The National Commission for Minorities (NCM) invites well-documented research papers from students of Universities and Colleges on the topic:

“Buddhism in Modern India: Navigating Cultural and Social Pathways.”

Prizes:

1st Prize – ₹7,000/-

2nd Prize – ₹5,000/-

3rd Prize – ₹3,000/-

Three Consolation Prizes – ₹1,500/- each

Last Date for Submission:

16th March 2026

Selected winners will be informed through email and/or phone.

Application Details (Mandatory):

- Name of Student
- Name of Institution
- Mobile Number
- Aadhaar Number
- Institution ID Card Number

Research Paper should have minimum 4000 and Maximum 6000 words (Mandatory)

Research Paper should have following Structure

- Introduction of topic, background, research problem, hypothesis.
- Literature reviewed.
- Results/Findings.
- Discussions.
- Conclusions.
- Proper referencing of references taken.

Submission:

Research papers must be emailed to: sk.singh60@nic.in