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UNIVERSITY OF KERALA

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Fin II/1/Budget 2026-27

Thiruvananthapuram, 23rd September, 2025

CIRCULAR

Sub: Budget Estimates 2026-27 – Proposals called for – reg.

The Heads of Department/Offices are requested to forward <u>4 copies</u> of Budget Estimates 2026-27 along with estimates of revenue and expenditure in the prescribed proforma to Finance II Section on or before 03/10/2025.

Budget Estimates for 2026-27 may be prepared taking into account the Academic and Administrative needs of each Department. The existence of certain teaching or non-teaching posts in the past years or a provision under a particular head or sub head in the current year's budget shall not be taken as a ground for their continuance.

Proposals related to works may be submitted as follows;

- (i) Plan proposals may be forwarded to the Director, Planning and Development after obtaining rough estimates for each proposal from the University Engineer.
- (ii) Non-Plan proposals may be forwarded to the University Engineer for compilation.

Separate proposals, in detail, for allocation of plan funds and projects that are to be undertaken with the help of sponsoring agencies may also be forwarded directly to the Director, Planning and Development.

Suggestions for generating internal revenue will be appreciated.

User charges such as lab testing fee etc may be reviewed and proposals for revision may be forwarded separately through the dealing section. Details of self financing programmes, if any, undertaken may be detailed separately along with estimated receipts from the programmes. Every effort has to be taken to limit unproductive expenditure and steps taken by the Department in this regard may be furnished along with the proposals, which may be drafted with a realistic approach. The Budget proposals shall be approved by the Department Council and a certified copy of the minutes of the meeting of the council shall be sent along with the proposals.

FINANCE OFFICER

To

All Heads of Departments / Centres / Officers in the University.

(Please see overleaf for guidelines)

GUIDELINES FOR DRAFTING BUDGET PROPOSALS

The University Budget is broadly divided into four parts:

Part I: Non-Plan Deals with receipts and expenditure connected with the

normal functioning of the University

Part II: Plan Deals with receipts and expenditure on development

activities in the University out of Plan provision

Part III: Earmarked Funds Deals with receipts and expenditure against funds

earmarked for specific purposes as stipulated by the

Funding agencies.

Part IV: Debts & Deposits Deals with receipts and expenditure relating to debt,

deposits, advances, etc.

REVISED ESTIMATES FOR 2025-2026

Revised Estimates should represent the anticipated expenditure for the current year. The following factors should be taken into account while preparing the revised estimates.

☐ The actual expenditure during the first 5 months of the year.

☐ The expenditure likely to be incurred during the remaining 7 months of the year.

☐ Any re-appropriation of funds already made or proposed to be made.

□ New schemes / Heads of accounts / proposals that have been sanctioned in the course of the year.

BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 2026-2027

I. Estimates of revenue and expenditure under existing sanctions.

Salary & Allowances: Estimates shall be made on the basis of expenditure likely to be incurred for the existing staff, irrespective of the actual sanctioned strength. No provision shall be made for posts kept in abeyance. If any officer is on deputation elsewhere, salary of the substitute alone shall be included in the estimate. A statement showing the details of all employees (both Teaching and Non-Teaching) in the Department should be furnished in the proforma appended. If any employee is to retire during the next two financial years, i.e. upto March 2026, the date of retirement may be marked against his/her name. Estimates on salary of teaching and non-teaching staff may be furnished separately. Salary and allowances of staff appointed with UGC-assistance/Plan shall not be included in these estimates, but to be included under appropriate heads under Part II or III, as the case may be.

<u>Contingencies:</u> Full details of contingent expenditure in respect of recurring items such as rent, pay of contingent employees, telephone charges, etc., shall be given. If there are any abnormal variations, a brief explanation may also be given. Contingent expenditure required for projects or schemes aided by outside agencies shall not be included. <u>Details of vehicles in the department (type of vehicle, reg. no, annual cost of maintenance, etc) shall also be given. If the plan funds / UGC assistance are available for any of the items of expenditure under contingency, such expenditure shall not be included in the Non-Plan estimates.</u>

II. New Proposals

Estimates of revenue and expenditure in respect of new proposals shall be given separately. Proposals for acquiring new machinery or equipment or for starting new courses may be given along with the details of corresponding recurring and non-recurring expenditure under salary, allowances and contingencies.

III. Salary & contingent expenses of centres established under PLAN
In case of Centres established under plan, adequate provision for continuance of the centres shall be claimed in the plan proposals of the succeeding years.

RECEIPTS

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ANNEXUREI

REVISED ESTIMATES OF RECEIPTS FOR 2025-26 AND BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 2026-2027

Remarks		
Budget Estimates (Proposals) 2026-2027		
Revised Estimates 2025-26		
Budget Estimates 2025-26		
Accounts 2024-2025		
Accounts 2023-2024		
Accounts 2022-2023		
Description	 Fees Tuition Fees Special Fees Examination Fees Other Fees Other Receipts (specify) (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) 	TOTAL

NB: Proposals for generating additional revenue may be forwarded separately.

DETAILS OF INCOME SOURCES

SPECIAL FEE COLLECTED(2025-26)

SI. No.	Item Description	Rate in Rs.
-	Library Fee	
2	Students Affiliation Fee	
3	Medical Inspection Fee	
4	Sports Affiliation Fee	
5	University Union Fee	
9	Students Aid Fund	
7	Womens Study Unit	
8	Student Care fund	
6	Department Union Fee	
10	Quasi University fee	
11	Athletic/ Sports Fee	
12	Audio Visual Fee	
13	Magazine Fee	
14	Journal Fee	
15	Lab fee	
16	Stationary Fee	
17	Students Group PAIS	
18	Others(specify)	
19		
20		

OTHER FEE COLLECTED(2025-26)

SI. No.	Item Description	Rate of Fees Collected/ Total
		amount collected in Rs.
-	Registration Fee	
2	Admission Fee	
3	Tuition Fee	
4	Exam Fee	
5	Membership Fee	
9	Affiliation Fee	
7	Administration Fee	
8	Caution Deposit	
6	Fee for Technical Services	
10	Fee for Consultancy Services	
11	Rent	
12	Sale of Scrap	
13	Interest	
14	Fellowship	
15	Research Fee	
16	Fine/ Penalty	
17	Auction of trees in Karyavattom / SH Campus	
18	Rent from promotional program	
19	Others(specify)	

EXPENDITURE

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ANNEXURE II

REVISED ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE FOR 2025-26 AND BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 2026-2027

	Remarks	11	
	Budget Estimates 2026-2027	10	
	Revised Estimates 2025-26	6	
	Total (6+7)	8	
Actuals Actuals	For the last 7 months of the preceding year 2024-2025	7	
Act	For the first 5 months of the current year 2025-26	9	
	Budget Estimates 2025-26	5	
	2024-2025	4	
Actuals	2023-2024	3	
TO A TO A	2022-2023	2	
	Sub & Detailed Heads	1	TOTAL

Reappropriation proposals, if any, for the current financial year (2024-25) may also be furnished detailing the need for reappropriation, expenditure incurred from the head of account and anticipated expenditure for the remaining period up to February and the head of account from which reappropriation is proposed etc.

STAFF STRENGTH

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ANNEXUREIII

STATEMENT SHOWING THE SANCTIONED STRENGTH OF POSTS (BOTH GAZETTED & NON-GAZETTED)

	Remarks	11				
	Date of next increment	10				
	Present	6				
	Date of Retirement	8				
	Date of entry into service	7				
	Date of birth	9				
	Name of incumbent	5				
Nature of posts	Тетрогагу	4				
Natı po	Permanent	3				
	Scale of Pay	2				
	Designation	1	Teaching Staff 1.	2.	Non-Teaching Staff	1.

Please furnish the total count - Sanctioned Strength & Present Strength (category wise):

Details of Contract/Guest/Contingent Employees

Pay Details Period of appointment				
Name Designation	1	2	3	

NB: Non-Plan and Plan proposals shall be furnished separately. Employees engaged in schemes/projects funded by external agencies to be excluded.

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ANNEXURE IV

BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 2026-2027

Statement of Sanctioned Posts in each Permanent and Temporary Establishment (Both Gazetted and Non-Gazetted)

DA HRA CCA allowances, Total Pay DA HRA CCA Allowances, Total if any.			Rate of e	molumer	nts as on	Rate of emoluments as on 01/04/2026		Tota	provisio	n to be n	nade in t	Total provision to be made in the Budget estimates	mates
	Name of the incumbent	Pay	DA (_%)	HRA	CCA	Other allowances, if any.	Total	Pay	DA (_%)	HRA	CCA	Other Allowances, if any.	Total

Plan and Non-Plan proposals should be furnished separately.

Vacant posts should be shown as such with SI.No assigned under each category.