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Subject: Extension of Last Date for Submission of Online Application Form for UGC-NET December 2026 Examination – Reg.

1. The National Testing Agency (NTA) is conducting the UGC-NET December 2026 Examination for determining the eligibility of Indian nationals for the award of Junior Research Fellowship (JRF), appointment as Assistant Professor, and admission to Ph.D. programmes in Indian Universities and Colleges.
2. In interest of candidates, it has been decided to extend the last date for submission of the Online Application Form for UGC-NET December 2026 Examination **up to 31 October 2026 (11:50 PM) without any late fee** to facilitate candidates who have not yet completed their application process. The revised schedule is as follows:

Activity	Revised Date
Last date for submission of Online Application Form	31 October 2026 (up to 11:50 PM)
Last date for successful transaction of examination fee	31 October 2026 (up to 11:50 PM)

3. Candidates are advised to complete their application process well before the revised deadline to avoid any last-minute technical difficulties.
4. All other terms and conditions mentioned in the Information Bulletin and earlier Public Notices shall remain unchanged.
5. Candidates are advised to regularly visit the official NTA websites <https://nta.ac.in> and <https://ugcnet.nta.nic.in> for the latest updates.

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