

CHILDREN'S RESEARCH UNIVERSITY, GANDHINAGAR**55th Meeting of the Executive Council, Date: 01/04/2026****Minutes of the Meeting**

Pursuant to the Meeting Notice, 55th meeting of the Executive Council of the Children's Research University was held in Hybrid mode on 22/05/2026 at 04:00 PM. The members of the Executive Council are as follows:

Sr. No.	Name of the Member	Designation	Remarks
1	Vice Chancellor, CRU	Chairperson	Present
2	The Secretary to the Government of Gujarat, Higher Education	Member	Not Present
3	The Secretary to the Government of Gujarat, Finance Department	Member	Present Online
4	The Commissioner of Higher Education, Gujarat State	Member	Not Present
5	Director General, CRU	Member	Vacant
6	Dr. Bhadrayu Vachharajani, Former. Vice Chancellor, Lokbharati Uni. for Rural Innovation, Sanosara	Member	Present Online
7	Prof. Jayna Joshi, Professor, Indian Institute of Teacher Education, Gandhinagar	Member	Present Online
8	Shri. Uday Desai, President, Dr. K.R. Shroff Foundation, Ahmedabad	Member	Present Online
9	Shri. Bharat Dhokai, Director, Kutch Kalyan Sangh, Gandhidham	Member	Present Online
10	Dr. Jayendrasinh Jadav, Mahamatra, Gujarat Sahitya Akademi, Gandhinagar	Member	Present Online
11	Dr. Mahendra Chotaliya, Former Professor in Education, SP University, VV Nagar, Anand	Member	Present
12	Finance and Accounts Officer, CRU	Member	Not Present
13	Registrar, CRU	Member Secretary	Present

A seat of Director General, Children's Research University is Vacant.

After ascertaining the quorum required for the meeting, Registrar- Member Secretary welcomed all the members of the Executive Council and sought the permission from the Chairperson to start the discussion on the Agenda matters.




Hon'ble Vice Chancellor has welcomed august Executive Council Members and expressed his gratitude for their gracious presence and grant permitted for the discussion on the agenda matters.

The agenda of the Executive Council meeting were discussed and deliberated at length by the members and resolved as under:

Agenda 01: The National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) invites Online applications from Multidisciplinary Universities/Institutions for the Integrated Teacher Education Programme for the Academic session 2027-2028 through Public Notice dated 07/05/2026. The matter is put for the approval and recommend the University Executive council to apply for Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP) for Foundational Stage (1 Unit).

(Annexure-1) (Centre of Education)

Resolution 01: The matter of the recommendations made by the Academic council of the University to apply for the NCTE-Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP) for B.A. B.Ed. & B.Sc. B.Ed. for Foundational Stage (1 Unit each) was discussed at length and unanimously approved and permitted the University to apply for the same.

Agenda 02: The matter regarding the recommendation made by the Academic Council as per the powers and Functions of Academic council mentioned in the CRU act 2009 Chapter-4,24 (1) on the proposal of the University to start the B.A. & B.Sc.(UG with Research/Honours) programmes from the Academic year 2026-27 is put for the approval.

(Academic Branch)

Resolution 02: The members of the council reviewed the recommendations made by the University Academic Council to start the B.A. & B.Sc.(Honours & Honours with Research) programmes from the Academic year 2026-27 was approved. Further, it was resolved that the University shall issue the Order to run both the UG programmes through the Centre of Education.



Agenda 03: The Ordinances & Regulations of the proposed Child Centric B.A. & B.Sc. (UG with Research) programmes are put for the approval of the council. **(Annexure-2) (Academic Branch)**

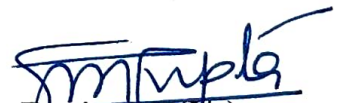
Resolution 03: The Ordinances for the B.A. & B.Sc. (Honours and Honours with Research) prepared by the University was reviewed, approved and resolved to proceed for the further approval process. The University shall begin the programme with expectation of ratification from the Chancellor and if receive any suggestions from the Chancellor, the University shall abide by and make the necessary changes in the Ordinances accordingly. Further, it was resolved that the University is empowered to make the necessary modification in the general rules, regulations and programme structures of both the programmes. The B.A. & B.Sc. programme fees, eligibility, Tie breaker rules, intake, mode & medium of the programme, major and minor subjects proposed by the University were approved.

Agenda from the Chair if any. Nil

The Registrar-Member Secretary of the council expressed his gratitude to all the members for their gracious presence, active participation and constructive remarks during meeting. A meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair & members.

Date: 22/05/2026

Place: Children's Research University, Gandhinagar


Registrar (I/c)

