Q.1-What is the eligibility criterion to take admission in M.A/M.Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- There are two modes of admission for M.A. / M.Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi:

- Direct Admission
- Through an Entrance Test

**Mode-1:** 50% seats in the M.A/M.Sc. (Mathematics) shall be filled on the basis of a merit list drawn in order of preference from the following categories of the candidates.

Examination Passed & Minimum Percentage of marks required:

1. B.A. (Hons.)/B.Sc. (Hons) Examination in Mathematics of University of Delhi with at least 60% marks in Mathematics.
2. B.A. (Hons)/B.Sc. (Hons) Examination in Mathematics of other Universities recognized by University of Delhi with at least 75% marks in Mathematics.
3. B.A. (Hons.)/B.Sc. (Hons) Examinations in Mathematics of University of Delhi with at least 50% marks in Mathematics.
4. B.A. (Hons)/B.Sc. (Hons) Examination in Mathematics of other Universities recognized by University of Delhi with at least 65% marks in Mathematics.

**Mode-2:** The remaining 50% seats shall be filled on the basis of merit in an entrance test. Any candidate who has obtained Bachelor degree in any subject and has qualified at least three (3) courses each of one year duration or six (6) courses each of one semester duration in Mathematics securing at least 45% marks in aggregate shall be eligible to appear in the Entrance test.

Q.2-What is the provision of admission for final year appearing students in M.A. / M.Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- Any candidate appearing in the final year examination of Bachelor’s degree year shall be eligible to appear in the entrance test for M.A. / M.Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi. However, he/she shall be considered for admission only if he/she fulfils the other requirements of admission.

Q.3-How many seats are there in M.A/M.Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- The total numbers of seats for M.A/M.Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi are as follows:

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<th>Number of Seats</th>
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<td>308</td>
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<td>62</td>
<td>South Campus</td>
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<td>75</td>
<td>Non-Collegiate Women’s Education Board</td>
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Note: Seats are subject to change by the University of Delhi.
Q.4-What is the common entrance fee for each of the three courses offered by the Department of Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans-The common entrance fee for M.A. / M. Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi is as follows:

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<th>Course name</th>
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<td>General Category &amp; OBC</td>
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<td>M.A/M. Sc. Mathematics</td>
<td>Rs.800/-</td>
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*Fee is subject to change.

Q.5-What is the provision for admission of compartmental cases candidate?

Ans-Candidate who have been placed under compartment by the University of Delhi shall be allowed to register themselves for their provisional admission to M.A. / M. Sc. (Part-I) Course in the faculty provided they satisfy other prescribed requirement of the course by adding the minimum passing marks of the compartment subject to the marks obtained in the remaining subjects.

Q.6- What is the minimum marks required to pass in any semester of M.A/M. Sc. in Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans-The minimum marks required to pass any course in a semester shall be in 40 % in theory and 40 % in practical, wherever applicable. The student must secure 40% in the end semester examination as well as in the total of end semester examination & internal assessment of the course for both theory & practical separately.

Q.7-Is there any rule to detain a student if he/she is unable to clear all examinations in Semester I and III in University of Delhi?

Ans- No Students shall be detained in I and III semester on the basis of his/her performance in I or III semester examination; i.e. the student shall be promoted automatically from I to II and III to IV semester.

Q.8- What are the promotion criteria from 1st year to 2nd year for M.A/M. Sc. in Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- A Student shall be eligible for promotion from 1st year to 2nd year of the course provided he / she has passed 50% papers of I and II semester taken together. However, he /she shall have to clear the remaining papers while studying in the 2nd year of the program as per the rule of reappearing in the Odd and Even semester examination in University of Delhi.

Q.9- When can a student appear for re-examination in M.A. / M. Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- A Student who has to reappear in a course prescribed for semester I/III and II/IV may do so only in the odd semester examination to be held in November/December and even semester examination to be held in April/May, as per the notification of University of Delhi.

Q.10- Can students re-appear in theory paper in M.A. / M. Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- A student may reappear in any theory paper prescribed for a semester in M.A. / M. Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi. This can be done only in the immediate subsequent semester examination (For example, a student reappearing in a course prescribed for semester I examination may do so along with next semester III examination only).
Q.11-How many times students can appear for examination in M.A. / M. Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- A candidate who has cleared the papers of part II (III & IV) may reappear in any course of III or IV semester only once at the immediate subsequent examination within the prescribed span period.  
(Note: The candidate of this category shall not be eligible to join any higher course of study)

Q.12-What is the basis of result in M.A. / M. Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- The result shall be prepared on the basis of candidate’s current performance in the examination in case of reappearing in a paper.

Q.13-Which marks shall be considered in case a student is unable to reappear in examination in M.A. / M. Sc. Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- The marks previously secured by the candidate shall be considered if he/she fails to re-appear in the concerned paper.

Q.14-Is there any scholarship scheme for M.A/M. Sc. students of the Department of Mathematics in University of Delhi?

Ans- There are four scholarships under ordinance XXVIII:

1. Post-graduate scholarship – Post graduate scholarships not exceeding twenty in number each of the value of Rs.250/-p.m., shall be awarded each year in the Faculties of arts, Science, Mathematical Sciences, Social Science, Law, Music and Fine arts, Management studies for proceeding to the degree of M.A/M.Sc. /M.Com/M.B.A/LL.B of the university.

2. S.C Malik Memorial Scholarship - There shall be a Scholarship called “S.C. Malik Memorial Scholarship” of the value of Rs.100/- per month payable out of the interest on the funds amounting to Rs.12000/- endowed by Mrs. Shanta Malik, F-2/27, Model Town, Delhi.

3. Dr. Y.K Mehta Memorial Scholarship - there shall be a scholarship called Dr. Y.K Mehta Memorial Scholarship of the value of the Rs.200/-p.m. Payable out of the interest on the fund amounting to Rs.20,000/- endowed by Shri J.P.Pruthi, Department of Mathematics, Hansraj college, to perpetuate the memory of late Dr. Y.K. Mehta, who was formerly a reader in the department of Mathematics, University of Delhi, Delhi-110007.

4. The 55th Indian Mathematical Society Annual Conference Scholarship - There shall be three scholarships known as 55th Indian Mathematical Society Annual Conference Scholarship (In Brief “The 55th IMS Annual Conference Scholarship”) to be awarded to three M.A/M.Sc. Mathematics students of this University out of the annual income accruing from the endowment fund of Rs.75,000/- (Seventy Five Thousand Only) given by Prof. G.C. Ahuja, Local Secretary of the conference and Dean Faculty of Mathematical Sciences, University of Delhi, Delhi-110007. The value of scholarship is Rs.250/- p.m. each.

Q.15-Where can one contact for further clarification?

Ans. Students can contact for further clarification at:
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