

# National IT Skills Competency Test – Registration Portal

## New Users

Create an account to register for the test.

**Don't have an account?** Sign up to begin your registration.

## Existing Users

Already registered? Sign in to access your profile and test details.



## Student Portal

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### Introduction

The Higher Education Commission (HEC), in collaboration with the Ministry of Information Technology & Telecommunication (MoITT), PSEB, Pakistan Software Houses Association (P@SHA), and the National Computing Education Accreditation Council (NCEAC), has undertaken a structured consultative process to address the industry-academia skill gap. This initiative is centered on aligning computing education with industry needs, enhancing assessment credibility, and improving graduate employability.

The Virtual University of Pakistan (VU) shall serve as the testing body for conducting the computer-based test. Coordination, verification, and facilitation shall be carried out through a Secretariat established at NCEAC, under the oversight of HEC, MoITT, PSEB, and P@SHA.

### Eligibility Criteria

All students enrolled in the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> semesters of Computer Science, Information Technology, Software Engineering, Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, and other relevant computing programs at HEC-recognized universities shall be eligible.

### Competency Areas to be Assessed

The test shall be based on industry-endorsed competency areas, finalised through a dedicated Technical Committee led by P@SHA, comprising representatives from industry, academia, accreditation bodies, and relevant stakeholders. The finalised Competency Areas are available on the following link:

[Areas of Competencies for National Skills Competency Test](#)

### Schedule of Test

The test is scheduled to be conducted on **April 04-05, 2026**.

#### Help Desk

In case of any problem related to **Registration, Scheduling & Conduct of Test**, please contact VU Help Desk:

**Email:** [nsct@vu.edu.pk](mailto:nsct@vu.edu.pk)

**Contact Nos:** 042-99204760, 042-99203899

**Mobile / WhatsApp:** 03000656905, 03000656907, 03000656908

#### Ready to Apply?

Create an account or sign in to continue.

[Create Account \(Sign Up\)](#) [Already Registered? Sign In](#)

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## Sign Up – Step 1- CNIC

Enter CNIC to get started.

The screenshot displays the registration portal header with logos for Tech Nation Pakistan, P@SHA, NCEAC, VUI, and HEC NSCT. The main content area features a 'Student Portal' link and a 'Home / Sign Up' button. A central 'Sign Up' form is active, showing a text input field with the CNIC '12345-1234567-1' and a 'Verify & Continue' button. Below the button, there is a link for 'Create your password' and a 'Sign In' link for already registered users. The footer includes the text 'Powered By VUI' and copyright information for 2026.

## Sign Up – Step 2 – Registration Number

Verify your information by entering the **last 2 digits** of your University Registration Number.

The screenshot displays the registration portal header with logos for Tech Nation Pakistan, P@SHA, NCEAC, VUI, and HEC NSCT. The main content area features a 'Student Portal' link and a 'Home / Sign Up' button. A central 'Sign Up' form is active, showing a text input field with the last two digits '34' and a 'Verify & Continue' button. Below the button, there is a link for 'Create your password' and a 'Sign In' link for already registered users. The footer includes the text 'Powered By VUI' and copyright information for 2026.

## Sign Up – Step 3 –Password

Create a password to complete your sign-up process.

The screenshot shows the 'Sign Up' form on the 'National IT Skills Competency Test Registration Portal'. The header includes logos for Tech Nation Pakistan, PSEB, Higher Education Commission Pakistan, POSHA, NCEAC, VUI, and HEC NSCT. The page title is 'Student Portal' with a 'Home / Sign Up' breadcrumb. The form is titled 'Sign Up' and contains the following elements:

- Create your password** section with two password input fields, each with a lock icon on the right.
- A blue 'Sign Up' button with a user icon.
- A link: 'Already registered? [Sign In](#)'

At the bottom, a footer states: 'Powered By VUI', 'www.vu.edu.pk', and '©2026 Designed & Developed by IT Department, Virtual University of Pakistan.'

## Sign In

Enter your CNIC and password to log in.

The screenshot shows the 'Sign In' form on the 'National IT Skills Competency Test Registration Portal'. The header and navigation are identical to the Sign Up page. The form is titled 'Sign In' and contains the following elements:

- An 'Enter Your CNIC' input field with a CNIC icon on the right.
- A 'Password' input field with a lock icon on the right.
- A blue 'Sign In' button.
- Links for 'Forgot Password' and 'Register a new account'.

At the bottom, a footer states: 'Powered By VUI', 'www.vu.edu.pk', and '©2026 Designed & Developed by IT Department, Virtual University of Pakistan.'

# Complete Registration

Review, verify, and submit the required information to complete your registration.



## Student Portal

Sign Out

### Dear Student,

Please upload your picture, select your test city, review your details, and submit the registration form to complete the registration process.

### Personal Information

\* Picture:



JPG/JPEG, Max. Size 5 MB

Browse

[Click Here For Sample Image](#)

Full Name: Muhammad Ali

Father's Name: Ali Ahmed

Gender: Male

Date of Birth: 10-10-1995

\* Mobile Number: + 923331234567

Example: 923331122334 (Country Code + Operator Code + Number)

\* Email Address: template@gmail.com

National ID Card No (CNIC): 12345-1234567-1

Domicile City: Islamabad

\* Preferred Test City: LAHORE

### Latest Qualification (Computing Related Disciplines)

Department: Computer Science

Degree Title: Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (4 year program)

University Name: University of Agriculture, Faisalabad

Campus: Main Campus

Registration No: 012-VU-001234

Semester No: 7

Last Semester GPA: 3.50

Total CGPA: 3.75

### Skills

Certifications if any: CCNA, PMP, OCP

Programming Languages: Java, C#, Python

Save and Submit

## Forgot Password

Recover your account securely.

Enter your **CNIC / B-Form** to retrieve your password. Your password will be sent to your registered student email address.



Student Portal

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### Forgot Password

[Click here for Sign In](#)