

- 10.3 All the registered research scholars who are getting fellowship from any funding agency shall be eligible for 30 days leave in an academic year. Any visit related to field work or for any similar activity will not be considered in these leaves and additional leave will be sanctioned by HOD/Director Research on the recommendation of the Supervisor of the candidate. Such candidate shall not be entitled for vacations in the University/College.
- 11 **Research Supervisor: Eligibility criteria to be a Research Supervisor, Co-Supervisor, Number of Ph.D. scholars permissible per Supervisor, etc.**
- 11.1 Any regular Professor/Associate Professor on roll of Jagadguru Ramanandacharya Rajasthan Sanskrit University with at least five research publications in peer-reviewed or refereed /UGC approved journals will be recognized as Research Supervisor.
- 11.2 Any regular Assistant Professor on roll of the Jagadguru Ramanandacharya Rajasthan Sanskrit University with at least three years of teaching experience at Post-graduate level/Undergraduate level and with Ph.D. degree and at least three research publications in peer-reviewed or refereed /UGC approved journals will be recognized as Research Supervisor. In areas/ disciplines where there is no or only a limited number of refereed journals, the Syndicate may relax the above condition for recognition of a person as Research Supervisor with reasons recorded in writing.
- 11.3 Only a full time regular teacher with at least three years of teaching experience at Post-graduate level/Undergraduate level and with Ph.D. degree and at least five/three research publications (as the case may be) in refereed UGC approved/ refereed journals and based at the affiliated college which has been given affiliation for the Ph.D. programme can be recognized as a Supervisor. The Principal of the affiliated College will have to give in writing that the College will permit research student to continue research work at their College in case of transfer or superannuation of the Supervisor. For Ph.D. scholars working in Central government/State government research institutions whose degrees are given by Higher Educational Institutions, the scientists in such research institutions who are equivalent to Professor/Associate Professor/Assistant Professor can be recognized as Supervisors if they fulfil the above requirements.
- 11.4 In case of interdisciplinary/ multidisciplinary research work, if required, a Co-Supervisor from outside the Department/School/Centre/College/University may be appointed. However, eligibility criteria of Co-Supervisor shall be the same as the criteria for appointment of a Research Supervisor.
- Co-Supervisors from within the same department or other departments of the same institution or other institutions may be permitted with the approval of the competent authority.
- 11.5 A Research Supervisor, who is a Professor at Jagadguru Ramanandacharya Rajasthan Sanskrit University or at a duly approved affiliated college for the Ph.D. programme, at any given point of time, cannot guide more than Eight Ph.D. scholars as Supervisor or Co-Supervisor at the University or any other Institution counted all together. However, as per Clause 11, a Professor at Jagadguru Ramanandacharya Rajasthan Sanskrit University can guide two international research scholars, other than eight regular research scholars.
- 11.6 A Research Supervisor, who is an Associate Professor at Jagadguru

Ramanandacharya Rajasthan Sanskrit University or at duly approved affiliated college for the Ph.D. programme, at any given point of time, cannot guide more than Six Ph.D. scholars as Supervisor or Co-Supervisor at University or any other Institution counted all together. However, as per Clause 11, an Associate Professor at Jagadguru Ramanandacharya Rajasthan Sanskrit University can guide two international research scholars, other than Six regular research scholars. 9

- 11.7 A Research Supervisor who is Assistant Professor at Jagadguru Ramanandacharya Rajasthan Sanskrit University and duly approved affiliated college for the Ph.D. programme, at any given point of time, cannot guide more than Four Ph.D. scholars as Supervisor or Co-Supervisor at University or any other Institution, all counted together.
- 11.8 The Departmental Research Committee will recommend the case of faculty members to be recognized as Research Supervisors which will be approved by the Research Board, Academic Council and Executive Council.
- 11.9 These regulations will not have any bearing on the students already registered and recognized Supervisor allotted earlier than the date of issue of notification of the new Research Rules.
- 11.10 No person will be normally allowed to guide his close relations. If somebody wants to do so, prior permission of the Research Board will be necessary. If such permission is granted, the Supervisor will not act as one of the examiners when the thesis is submitted. All the three examiners will be external. The Supervisor will also not suggest names of the examiners to evaluate thesis. In such a case the Panel of examiners would be given by concerned Head of Department. In case Supervisor is Head of Department, then the Panel will be given by Dean of concerned Faculty. The term close relation includes spouse, children, sister, brother, grandchildren, nephew, niece, grandniece, grandnephew, uncle, aunt, first cousin, son-in-law, daughter-in-law and nephew, niece, grand niece and nephew of Supervisor's wife.
- 11.11 In case of demise of a Research Supervisor or if he/she proceeds out of India on long leave or otherwise, all such candidates shall be transferred/work of sending evaluation report/viva-voce; as the case may be, shall be done by the teacher authorized by the Department Research Committee and duly approved by the Vice-Chancellor.
- 11.12 Once a candidate is registered with his/her Supervisor, the transfer of candidate to other Supervisor will be permitted only in very special cases. The permission of change of Supervisor will be granted only after receiving NOC of Supervisor, recommendation of DRC of the subject and approval of Vice Chancellor.
- 11.13 The DRCs may be organized any time by Director Research/Head of concerned department as per requirement.
- 11.14 Faculty members with less than three years of service before superannuation (to be counted from last day of previous academic session) shall not be allowed to take new research scholars under their supervision. However, such faculty members can continue to supervise Ph.D. scholars who are already registered until superannuation and as a Co-Supervisor after superannuation, but not after attaining the age of 70 years.
- 11.15 At any point, the total number of Ph.D. scholars under a faculty member, either as a Supervisor or a Co-Supervisor, shall not exceed the number prescribed in clause 11.5 to 11.7.