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Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu. Accredited with A⁺ by NAAC IV cycle – CGPA 3.35

Examination Wing

Action plan for the academic year 2019 - 2020

The office of the Controller of Examinations plans meticulously for the conduct of examinations, evaluation and publication of results and award of certificates. Apart from the regular schedule all details pertaining to the needs of the students regarding examination, official transcript and matters related to university are executed systematically. The office of the Controller of Examinations also plans to carry out the following:

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- 2. Changes in the examination pattern in par with UGC 2019 guidelines
- 3. Workshop for faculty members on assessment and attainment of course outcome.
- 4. Online registration for Part IV (SBC and NMEC) courses.
- 5. Online examination system for continuous internal assessment.
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Action taken

- 1. Examination, valuation and publication of results were followed as per the academic calendar. (*Annexure I*)
- 2. Changes were brought in the examination pattern in the 2020-2023 curriculum. *(Annexure II)*
- 3. Orientation to the faculty on 'Applications of Moodle Platform in Teaching and Evaluation' 05.07.2019
- 4. Workshop on Outcome Based Education and Working on OBE software by Myclassroom Private Limited. 24.07.2019.
- Workshop on 'Out Come Based Education and Assessment of Outcomes' on 13.08.2019
 Resource Person: Mrs. Vijaya A, IQAC Member & Assistant Professor in Computer Science, Nehru College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.
- 6. Online registration for Part IV (SBC and NMEC) courses was facilitated through ERP portal.
- 7. Due to COVID-19, online examination was implemented both for continuous internal assessment and summative assessment.

Annexures

- (i) Academic calendar
- (ii) Examination pattern 2020-2023

Annexure I

Academic Year 2019 – 2020

Online Registration & Semaster Even fee nor	Activities		Important Dates	
Online Registration & Semester Exam fee payment portal opening		30-08-2019		
Last date for exam fee payment without pena	alty		10-09-2019	
Last date for exam fee payment with penalty		16-09-2019		
Part IV Internal Examination (Respective hou	ır)		03-10-2019	
Practical Examination UG & PG			14-10-2019	
Part IV semester examination begins			22-10-2019	
Project viva voce exam			24-10-2019	
Signing of consolidated CIA mark statement			25-10-2019	
Semester examination begins			04-11-2019	
Semester examination end			21-11-2019	
Result Publication			06-12-2019	
April	1 2020			
Activities	Importa	ant	Important Dates	
	Dates	;	(modified)	
Remittance of semester examination fees	06-03-20	020		
Practical Examination (UG)	**18-03-2	2020	04-03-2020	
Practical Examination (PG)	**26-03-2	2020	04-03-2020	
Part IV Internal Examination (Respective hour)			03-03-2020	
Project viva voce exam			16-09-2020 (Online)	
Signing of consolidated CIA mark statement	**15-04-2	<u>2020</u>	Online verification by students 31-07-2020	
Part IV semester examination begins			Online 17-09-2020	
Semester examination begins	**24-04-2	<u>2020</u>	(Online Examination only III UG and II PG outgoing students) 21-09-2020	
Semester examination end			30-09-2020	
Result Publication			12-10-2020	

* * modified due to Covid-19 lockdown

Annexure II

CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS) Regulations for UG Programme

(For the candidates admitted from the academic year 2020-2021 onwards)

1. Examination Pattern

i) a. Part I - Tamil

Ratio of Internal and External= 30:70

Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Components	Marks
Continuous Internal Assessment (2)	15
Quiz (2 quizzes)	4
Class Test (2)	6
Class assignment/ Home assignment/ Field	5
assignment/ Articlereview/ Group discussion/ Problem	
solving	
Total	30

Question Pattern

Internal Test	Marks	External Exam	Marks
Part A 4 x 1	4	Part A 10 x 1 (No choice)	10
Part B 3 x 4	12	Part B 5 x 4 (Internal choice)	20
Part C 3 x 8	24	Part C 5 x 8 (Internal choice)	40
Total	40	Total	70

b. Part I -French

Ratio of Internal and External= 30:70

Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Components	Marks
Continuous Internal Assessment (2)	15
Quiz (2 quizzes)	4
Class Test (2)	6
Class assignment/ Home assignment/ Field assignment/ Article	5
review/ Group discussion/ Problem solving	
Total	30

Question Pattern for I & II Semesters

Internal Test	Marks	External Exam		Marks
Part A (Translation)	5	Part A (Translation)	4x5	20
Part B (Grammar) 5x5	25	Part B (Grammar)	6x5	30
		(Paragraph Writing)	15x1	
Part C (Paragraph	10	Part C (Translation, Comprehens	sion)	
Writing)10x1		2x5		10
		Part D	5x2	10
Total	40		Total	70

Question Pattern for III & IV Semesters

Internal Test	Marks	External Exam	
			Marks
Part A (Translation)	5	Part A (Translation) 10x1	10
Part B (Grammar) 5x5	25	Part B (Comprehension) 10 x1 (Paragraph Writing) 15 x1	25
Part C (Paragraph Writing) 10x1	10	Part C (Grammaire) 7 x 5	35
Total	40	Total	70

ii) Part II - General English

Ratio of Internal and External= 30:70

Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Components	Marks
Continuous Internal Assessment (2)	15
Quiz (2)	4
Class Test (3)	6
GD/Open Book Test/Role	5
Play/Assignment/ArticleReview/Seminar	
Total	30

Question Pattern

Internal Test	Marks	External Exam	Marks
Part A (Objective	$4 \ge 1 = 4$	Part A (Objective	10 x 1 = 10
Type)		Type)	
Part B	3 x 4 = 12	Part B	$5 \times 4 = 20$
Part C	3 x 8 = 24	Part C	$5 \times 8 = 40$
Total	40	Total	70

iii) Part III (Major/ Elective/ Allied)

Ratio of Internal and External= 30:70

Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Components	Marks
Continuous Internal Assessment (2)	15
Quiz (2 quizzes)	4
Class Test (3)	6
Class assignment/ Home assignment/ Field assignment/	5
Article	
review/ Group discussion/ Problem solving	
Total	30

Question Pattern

Internal Test	Marks	External Exam	Marks
Part A 4 x 1	4	Part A 10 x 1 (No choice)	10
Part B 3 x 4	12	Part B 5 x 4 (Internal choice)	20
Part C 3 x 8	24	Part C 5 x 8 (Internal choice)	40
Total	40	Total	70

Practicals: Major Core & Allied

papersRatio of Internal and

External= 40:60 Total: 100 marks

Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Internal	Marks
Components	
Performance of the Experiments	10
Regularity in attending practical and submission of records	10
Record	5
Model exam	15
Total	40

Question pattern

External Exam	Marks
Major Practical	60
Minor Practical / Spotters / Record	00
Total	60

iv) Part IV

Ratio of Internal and External = 50: 50

a) Add-on Course – Professional English

Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Internal Components	Marks
Listening	25
Speaking and Reading	25
Total	50

Question pattern

External Exam	Marks
Part A 5 x 1 (No Choice)	5
Part B 5 x 3 (Internal Choice)	15
Part C 5 x 6 (Internal Choice)	30
Total	50

b) Non – Major Elective (NME)

Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Internal	Marks
Components	
Continuous Internal Assessment (2)	20
Quiz (2 quizzes)	15
Class assignment/ Home assignment/ Project report	15
Total	50

Question Pattern

Internal Test	Marks	External Exam	Marks
Part A 4 x 1	4	Part A 5 x 1	5
(No Choice)		(No Choice)	
Part B 3 x 4	12	Part B 5 x 3	15
(Internal Choice)		(Internal Choice)	
Part C 3 x 8	24	Part C 5 x 6	30
(Internal Choice)		(Internal Choice)	
Total	40	Total	50

c) Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) - Computer Literacy

Internal Components

Component		Marks
Objective type questions (30x1)		30
Exercise (Book) compulsory (2x10)		20
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External Components

Component	Marks
Exercise 1	20
Exercise 2	10
Procedures for both Exercises	20
Total	50

d) Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) - Meditation and Exercise Internal Components

Component	Marks
Objective type questions (20x1)	20
Exercise (2x10)	20
Assignment	10
Total	50

External Components

Component	Marks
Oral assessment	20
Written assessment (Open choice –10 out of15 questions (10x3)	30
Total	50

e) Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) - Environmental Studies Internal Component

Component	Marks
Project Report	30
Viva voce	20
Total	50

External Component

Component	Marks
Oral assessment	20
Written Test (Open choice – 10 out of15 questions (10x3)	30
Total	50

Part V

Ratio of Internal and External = 50: 50

f) Foundation Course - I (Values for Life)

Internal Component

Component	Marks
Song, Mime, Skit	20
Book Activities	20
A Kind Action	10
Total	50

External Component

Component		Marks
Oral assessment		20
Written Test (Part A 5x2 = 10 ; Part B 5x4 = 20)		30
	Total	50

g) Foundation Course - II (Personality Development)

Internal Component

Component	Marks
Exercise from book	20
Skit	10
Group Album	20
Total	50

External Component

Component	Marks
Oral assessment	20
Written Test (Part A $5x2 = 10$; Part B $5x4 = 20$	30
Total	50

h) Foundation Course - III (Human Rights Education)

Internal Component

Component	Marks
Album on current issues	20
Group Song, Mime, Skit	10
Open book test	20
Total	50

External Component

Component	Marks
Oral assessment	20
Written Test (Questions are of open choice 15 questions 3 marks each – answer any 10 (10x3)	30
Total	50

i) Foundation Course - IV (Gender Equity Studies)

Internal Component

Component	Marks
Album on current issues	20
Group Song, Mime, Skit	10
Open book test	20
Total	50

External Component

Component	Marks
Oral assessment	20
Written Test (Questions are of open choice 15 questions 3	30
marks each – answer any 10 (10x3)	
Total	50

j)

SLP -Community Engagement Course (CEC) /Unnath Bharath Abhiyan (UBA) (Field Work – 15 hrs; Class Hours – 15 hrs)

Internal Component

Component	Marks
Assignment	10
Group Discussion	10
Attendance	30
Total	50

External Component

Component	Marks
Project Report / Case Study(10-15 pages in print)	50
Total	50

k)SLP – Service-Learning Programme: Reaching the Unreached Neighbourhood(RUN)

• 60 Hours mandatory programme included in the curriculum (2 credits).

- I) STP Student Training Programme
 - Compulsory for all I & II year students (2 credits).
 - Clubs and Committees Eco Club, YRC, Rotaract Club, NSS/ RRC, AICUF, Consumer Club, Legal Literacy and Women's Cell.
 - Each student can opt for one club/ committee.

Regulations for PG Programme

(For the candidates admitted from the academic year 2020-2021 onwards) **1.** Examination Pattern

i) Major Core / Elective

Internal: External – 40:60

Allotment of Marks for PG Programme

Components	Marks	
	Internal	External
Core & Elective -Theory	40	60
Practicals	40	60
Project	40	60
Life Skill Training (I & II)	60	40

• Each paper carries an internal component.

• There is a passing minimum for external component.

Internal Component

Component	Marks
Continuous Internal Assessment (2)	20
Quiz (2)	4
Class test (2)	4
Seminar	4
GD/Open Book test/ Article Review/ Book Review	4
Online Home Assignment	4
Total	40

External Component

Component	Marks
Part A : 10 x 1	10
(Two objective type questions from each unit without any choice).	

Part B : 5 x 3	15
(One question from each unit with internal choice. Among	
the five questions one question should be of application	
type and anotherwill be of analysis type).	
Part C : 5 x 7	35
(One question from each unit with internal choice.	
Question shouldcover all cognitive levels as per	
the Course Outcomes).	
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tal	

Life Skill Training

Internal Components		
	Album (20 pages)	40
Life Skill Training- I	Group Song, Mime, Skit(Group of 5	20
	students)	
	Total	60
Life Skill Training- II	Case Study (30 page)	60
	Total	60

SLP -Community Engagement Course (CEC) / Unnath Bharath Abhiyan (UBA)

(Field Work - 15 hrs; Class Hours - 15 hrs)

Internal Component

Component	Marks
Assignment	10
Group Discussion	10
Attendance	30
Total	50

External Component

Component	Marks
Project Report / Case Study(10-15 pages in print)	50
Total	50

M.Phil. Examination pattern

Course Structure and Examination pattern

Course Structure

	SEMESTER I		SEMESTER II		
Course	Title	Credit	Course	Title	Credit
C1	Professional Skills for Teaching - Learning	4	C5	Dissertation (Topic selected shouldbe relevant to the topicof the Indepth paper)	12
C2	Research methodology	4			
C3	Core Course	5			
C4	Indepth paper	5			
	Total	18	Total 1		12

2. Course detail and Examination pattern

Marks for Internal and External are in the ratio 40: 60

A. C1- Professional skills for Teaching - Learning

I to III units are common for all departments

- ➢ I Unit Soft Skills
- > II Unit Blooms Taxonomy on Teaching, Learning and Evaluation
- ▶ III Unit Guidance and Counselling
- IV & V Units Department specific to make use of Skills and Techniquesto teach the core course

The C1 Course is (to be) designed to exploit the various Teaching – Learning. Research Skills to be imbibed / cultivated to make the research scholars to be fit for the profession they are likely to acquire in the Education Industry.

Evaluation pattern FOR C1- Professional Skills for Teaching - Learning

I to III units common for all departments

- i. Internal Test : 2
- ii. Peer teaching Unit IV
- iii. Microteaching in Unit IV/ V
- iv. Assignment

Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Internal Component	Marks	Converted to
Internal test I and II	Test I – 35 Test II -35	20
Question pattern (Part A : 7 x 2= 14 ; Part B : 3x 7 = 21)		
Practical		
Peer Teaching Unit IV	5	5
Micro Teaching (1) (subject related) Unit IV / V	10	
Teaching 2 hours & Practical demonstration 2session s(for UG / PG depends on the guide - Science) Teaching 5 hours (Arts & Commerce) (Class room Environment ; Observed by the respective guide)	10	15
Assignment based on Bloom's Taxonomy (Formulate Vision, Mission, PEO, PO, PSO and CO and prepare a teaching planwith pedagogy, learning outcomes and assessment. Frame a question paper based on the cognitive levels)	10	
Total		40

External Component for C1

Theory	Mar ks
End Semester Examination	50
Question pattern	
(Part A : 3 x 2 = 6; Part B : 4 x 5 = 20: Part C : 3x8=24)	
Duration-2 Hours test	
Practical	
Submission of Observation record (10 observation of	10
facultyteaching) based on the first three units	
Total	60

B. Course C2, C3, C4

Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) Internal Components and Distribution of Marks

Internal Component	Marks	Converted to
Internal test - I	35	20
Internal Test - II	35	20
Seminar	15	15
Assignment	15	5
Total		40

Internal test question pattern - Arts

Course	Question pattern	No. Of ques.	Marks
C2	Open Choice: Comprehensive Type	5 out of 8	5 x 7 = 35
C3	Open Choice: Comprehensive Type	5 out of 8	5 x 7 = 35
C4	Open Choice: Comprehensive Type	5 out of 8	5 x 7 = 35

Internal question pattern - Science

Course	Question pattern	No. of ques.	Marks (35)
C2	Part A: Short Answers	5	5 x 2 = 10
	Part B: Essay type(Internal Choice)	5	5 x 5 = 25
C3	Part A: Short Answers	5	5 x 2 = 10
	Part B: Essay type (Internal Choice)	5	5 x 5 = 25
C4	Open Choice: Comprehensive	5 out of 8	5 x 7 = 35

End Semester Examination question pattern - ARTS

Course	Question pattern	No. of ques.	Marks
C1	Part A : Short Answer type	3	$3 \ge 2 = 6$
	Part B : Paragraph type(Internal Choice)	3	3 x 5=15
	Part C: Essay type (Internal Choice)	3	3 x 8 = 24
C2	Open Choice : Comprehensive Type	5 out of 8	5 x 12= 60
C3	Open Choice : Comprehensive Type	5 out of 8	5 x 12= 60
C4	Open Choice : Comprehensive Type	5 out of 8	5 x 12= 60

End Semester Examination question pattern - SCIENCE

Course	Question pattern	No. of ques.	Marks	
C1	Part A :Very Short Answers	3	$3 \ge 2 = 6$	
	Part B : Short Answers	3	3 x 5 = 15	
	Part B: Essay type (Internal Choice)	3	3 x 8 = 24	
C2	Part A : Short Answers	10	$10 \ge 2 = 20$	
	Part B: Essay type(Internal Choice)	5	$5 \ge 8 = 40$	
C3	Part A : Short Answers	10	$10 \ge 2 = 20$	
	Part B: Essay type (Internal Choice)	5	$5 \ge 8 = 40$	
C4	Open Choice : Comprehensive 5 out of 8 5 x 12			

Semester II - Dissertation

Internal		External Marks conver		External Marks co		Marks converted to
Components	Mark	Components	Mark			
Presentation I Review of Literature	10	Dissertation	75	75		
Presentation II -Mock viva	15					
Dissertation	50					
Total	75					
Viva Voce	25	Viva Voce	25	25		
Total	100	Total	100	100		

5. Guidelines for Dissertation submission

5.1	Submission	 Within the stipulated time as scheduled by the institution. 1st Extension - Six month. 2nd Extension with penalty - another Six months After two extensions- registration is cancelled and has to re-register for the course subject to the discretion of the Principal. Candidate need not write once again the theory paper if she has passed. 	
5.2	1. All the	All the M. Phil. Scholars (along with their Guides) have to submit at least	
	one Research article for publication, at the time of submitting the		
	dissertation.		

5.3	1.	1. For the valuation of dissertation, it is mandatory to have passed in all th		
		four courses.		
	2.	One external examiner and the Research Adviser shall value the		
		Dissertation.		
	3.	The external examiner should be selected only from outside the college		
		(within the Colleges affiliated to Manonmaniam Sundaranar University/		
		other University/Colleges in Tamil Nadu.		
	4.	The external examiner shall be selected from a panel of 5 experts		
		suggested by the respective Department and approved in the Board of		
		studies. However, the Controller of Examination may ask for another		
		panel if she deems it necessary.		
	5.	Both the internal and external examiner will evaluate the Dissertation		
		and allot the marks separately. However, the <i>viva-voce</i> will be done by		
		both of them.		

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Office of the Controller of Examinations

Action Plan carried out 2019-2020

Month	Work Plan	Important dates
June	 Conduct of supplementary examination. Revaluation and publication of results. Submission of semester grades to the Controller of Examinations (CoE). 	• Supplementary examination from 08-06-2019 to 10-06-2019
July	 Preparation of Tabulated Mark Registers (April 2019) and submission to the University for Provisional Certificate. Verification of syllabus and model questions. Generate Course code and Course title, foil card. 	Revaluation Result published on 02-07-2019
August	 Communication sent to the question setters. Disbursing the remuneration to the question setters. 	 TMR Submitted to the University on 26-08-2019 I CIA begins on 08-08-2019 Semester Examination application online registration portal opens on 30-08-2019
September	 Preparation of End Semester Examination time table for theory and practical exams. Verification of semester examination registration. 	• II CIA begins on 18-09-2019

October	 CIA component marks verification. Provide compolidated marks of CIA to the 	Examination Committee mosting was
	• Provide consolidated marks of CIA to the students.	meeting was held on 04-10-2019
	• Preparation of hall tickets, nominal roll, foil	
	cards for seating arrangement, time table etc and submitting them to exam centre and office.	• III CIA begins on 11-10-2019
		 Practical Examination begins on 14-10-2019
		• Signing of consolidated CIA mark statement on 25-10-2019
November	• UG and PG Paper valuation.	End Semester Examination
	• Summative examination marks entry and verification.	from 04-11-2019 to 21-11-2019
December	• Presentation of results in the Award Committee and publication of results.	Award Committee meeting was held on 06-12- 2019
January	Revaluation and publication of results.	Revaluation
	• Verification of syllabus and model questions.	result published on 04-01-2020
		• Examination Committee meeting was held on 04-03- 2020
February	 Generate Course code and Course title, foil card. Communication sent to the question setters. 	• I CIA from 31-01-2020 to 03-02-2020

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arch	 Disbursing the remuneration to the question setters. Communication sent to the practical examiners. 	•	Semester Practical examinations begins from 04-03-2020
	 Preparation of practical foil cards. Preparation of End Semester Examination time table for theory and practical exams. Verification of semester examination 	•	Examination application online registration portal open on 06-03-2020
	registration.		
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ptember	 Online examinations for III UG and II PG students Preparing hall tickets, nominal roll, foil cards, time table etc. Summative Examination marks entry and verification 	•	End Semester Examinations from 21-09-2020 to 30-09-2020
ctober	Submission of result copy to Award Committee and publishing the results.		Award Committee meeting was held on 12-10-2020

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