

**BACHELOR OF ARTS (B.A.) UNDER N.E.P.****First Year Bachelor of Arts (F.Y.B.A.)****SEMESTER I and SEMESTER II****SCHEME OF PAPERS**

The duration of the UG Programme shall be of Four Years/Eight Semesters with multiple entry and exit options. Students shall be eligible to choose Courses from Broad Disciplines of Study for Major and Minor Courses which are as follows:

**(i) Natural and Physical Sciences:** Microbiology, Botany, Zoology, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Chemistry, Physics, Electronics, Biophysics, Astronomy, Astrophysics, Earth Sciences, Environmental Sciences, and such others.

**(ii) Mathematics, Statistics, and Computer Applications:** Mathematics, Statistics, Computer Applications, Programming Software, Applications Software and such others.

**(iii) Library, Information, and Media Sciences:** Library Science, Information Science, Media Science, Journalism, Mass Media, Communication and such others.

**(iv) Commerce and Management:** Business Management, Financial Accounting, Cost Accounting, Finance, Banking, Fintech, and such others.

**(v) Humanities and Social Sciences:** Anthropology, Economics, History, Linguistics, Political Science, Psychology, Social Work, Women's Studies, Sociology, Archaeology, History, Comparative Literature, Arts & Creative Expressions, Creative Writing and Literature, Language(s), Philosophy, Cognitive Science, Environmental Science, Gender Studies, Global Environment, Health, International Relations, Political Economy and Development, Sustainable Development, Public Administration and such others.

**Semesters I & II:** Students shall undergo one course each from four different subjects chosen from a broad discipline area as Major and Minor courses, and other two Multidisciplinary courses to have basic knowledge not only in Major areas but also in other disciplines. Additionally, students shall also take up courses of their interest from Ability Enhancement (language), Skill Enhancement, and Value-Added categories.

- a) In order to facilitate students to make an informed choice at the end of the first year, the two Major Courses and two Minor Courses offered at Semester I & II shall be from different subjects within the broad discipline.
- b) Students shall choose the Major of their interest within the broad disciplines at the end of the first year.

A Programme shall comprise of the following categories of courses:

- a) Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Major (Core):** A Major course will provide a student the opportunity to pursue in-depth study of a particular subject or discipline.
- b) Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Minors:** Students may opt for Minor courses from Disciplinary/ Interdisciplinary areas including skill- based courses relating to a chosen Vocational Education and Training.
- c) Vocational Education and Training (VET):** VET shall form an integral part of the UG Programme to impart skills along with theory and practical. VET which can be related to the Major or Minor Discipline or choice of the student. **A student shall have to declare subject/courses under VET at the end of Semester II.**
- d) Multidisciplinary Courses (MC):** UG students shall be required to undergo Introductory-level courses relating to any Broad Discipline that they have not undergone at the HSSC level as given below: Natural and Physical Sciences, Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Applications Library, Information and Media Sciences, Commerce and Management, Humanities and Social Sciences. **A student shall mandatorily choose the MC course offered by the BoS from other broad disciplines.**

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Broad Discipline	Sr. No	Sem I			Sem II		
		Major	Minor	Multidisciplinary Course * choose any one from the subject not taken at HSSC Level	Major	Minor	Multidisciplinary Course * choose any one from the subject not taken at HSSC Level
Humanities and Social Sciences	1	Psychology	Economics	MAT-131 Mathematical Techniques in Competitive Exams CSC-131 Emerging Trends in Computers BOT-131 Kitchen Gardening CHC-131 Introduction to Chemistry GEO-131 The Dynamic Earth PHY-131 History of Physics Zoo-131 Food, Nutrition and Health	Political Science	Hindi	MAT-132 Descriptive Statistics CSC-133 Cyber Security Essentials BOT-132 Ecosystem Biodiversity CHC-131 Introduction to Chemistry GEO-132 Physical Geology PHY-132 Indian Contribution to Physics ZOO-133 Public Health and Hygiene
	2	Psychology	English		Economics	Philosophy	
	3	Psychology	Political Science		History	Hindi	
	4	Psychology	Hindi		Philosophy	English	
	5	Political Science	Economics		Konkani	English	
	6	Political Science	Marathi		Philosophy	Psychology	
	7	Political Science	Hindi		English	History	
	8	English	History		Political Science	Marathi	
	9	English	Konkani		Economics	Psychology	
	10	English	Philosophy		Konkani	History	
	11	English	Political Science		Psychology	Economics	
	12	Economics	Psychology		Philosophy	Konkani	
	13	Economics	Marathi		Psychology	Political Science	
	14	Economics	Philosophy		English	Konkani	
	15	Philosophy	English		History	Marathi	
	16	Philosophy	Psychology		History	Konkani	
	17	Philosophy	Konkani		Psychology	English	
	18	Konkani	History		Psychology	Hindi	
	19	Konkani	English		Political Science	Economics	
	20	History	Konkani		English	Political Science	
	21	History	Marathi		English	Philosophy	
	22	History	Hindi		Economics	Marathi	

**e) Value-Added Courses (VAC):** The following are the VAC common to all UG students. In Semester I, one of the two Credit courses under VAC shall be Environmental Studies (EVS)

VAC	Sem I	Sem II
<b>1</b>	<b>Paper I:Environmental Science and Education</b> i) VAC 101: Environmental Studies 1 ii) VAC 103: Environmental Practices in Goa	<b>Paper III : Digital and Technological Solutions</b> i) VAC 101: Environmental Studies 1 ii) VAC 111: Awareness of Cyber Crimes and Security
<b>2</b>	<b>Paper II:Understanding India</b> i) VAC 105: Constitutional Values and Obligations ii) VAC 107: NCC and Nation Building (Army) iii) VAC 108: NCC and Nation Building (Navy) iv) VAC 109: Introduction to The Folktales of India v) VAC 110: Indian Economic Thought	<b>Paper IV: Health &amp; Wellness, Yoga education, sports and fitness</b> i) VAC 115: Health and Wellness

**f) Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC):** Students shall achieve competency in a Modern Indian Language (MIL) and in the English Language with special emphasis on communication, reading and writing skills. **Semester I and II shall have English under AEC.**

**g) Skills Enhancement Courses (SEC):** SECs shall focus on practical skills, hands-on training, soft skills and such other courses to enhance the employability of students. **Student will be offered an SEC paper in the Major subject in respective Semester.**

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#### **SEMESTER I and SEMESTER II**

#### **CREDIT STRUCTURE**

<b>Semester</b>	<b>MajorCore</b>	<b>Minor</b>	<b>MC</b>	<b>AEC</b>	<b>SEC</b>	<b>VAC</b>	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>Exit</b>
I	Major-1 (4)	Minor-1 (4)	MC-1 (3)	AEC-1 (2)	SEC-1 (3)	VAC-1 (2) VAC-2 (2)	20	—
II	Major-2 (4)	Minor-2 (4)	MC-2 (3)	AEC-2 (2)	SEC-2 (3)	VAC-3 (2) VAC-4 (2)	20	4

#### **Note:-**

1. Major-1, Major-2, etc. are the Major Courses.
2. Minor-1, Minor-2, etc. are the Minor Courses.
3. The students shall undergo one course each from four different subjects chosen from a broad discipline area as Major and Minor courses in Semester I and II.
4. Credits are indicated in brackets.
5. Those who exit shall have to do an additional 4 Credit Vocational Course during the summer term.