

GOVERNMENT COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), RAJAMAHENDRAVARAM
DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

Board of Studies Meeting Minutes - 2021 - 2022 (Online)
Through Virtual Conference

Geography

In obedience to the proceedings of the principal, the Board of Studies, Department of Computer Science and Applications of Government College (Autonomous) Rajahmundry have met at 10:30 AM on 20th September 2021 through Google Meet under the Chairmanship of Sri Dr. M. R. Gowtham, HoD, Department of Geography to discuss the curriculum design for the UG for the academic year 2021-2022.

Agenda:

1. Curriculum Design for all the Semesters for B.Sc, B.Com and B.A programs with Geography combination.
2. Designing of Course Outcomes and Course Objectives.
3. Identifying /inclusion of components of Skill Development, Employability and Entrepreneurship in the curriculum
4. Additional inputs into the curriculum
5. Designing Model Question Papers and identifying potential paper setters
6. Innovative Teaching – Learning Methodology (Learner Centric)
7. Any other proposal with the permission of the chair

Agenda 1: Curriculum Design for all the Semesters for B.Sc, B.Com and B.A programs with Geography combination.

Discussion: In the beginning, The BoS Chairperson Mr. M. R. Gowtham, presented the curriculum structure of B.Sc and B.A programmes (G.H.P, G.G.Cs) and also presented the list of new courses introduced in the current academic year and sought their opinion on the same.

Resolution 1: It is resolved to revise the Course structure for the programs in B. Sc (GGCS) and B.A (GHP).

S.No	Year	Semester	Paper NO	Course Code	Course Type	Title of the Course (Paper)	Max. Marks (SEE)	Marks in CIA	Hrs./week			
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1	I	I	1	GGY 101	Theory (Compulsory)	Physical Geography - I (Geomorphology)	50	50	3	1	0	3
2				GGY 103 (P)	Practical	Elements of Mapping	50		0	0	3	2
3	I	II	2	GGY 102	Theory (Compulsory)	Physical Geography - II (Climatology & Oceanography)	50	50	3	1	0	3
4				GGY 140 (P)	Practical	Representation of Climatic and Statistical Data	50		0	0	3	2

5	II	III	3	GGY 141	Theory (Compu Isory)	Human and Economic Geography	50	50	3	1	0	3
6				GGY 142 (P)	Practica 1	Thematic Maps – Map Projections	50		0	0	3	2
7	II	IV	4	GGY 143	Theory (Compu Isory)	Geography of India	50	50	3	1	0	3
8				GGY 123 (P)	Practica 1	Surveying with Instruments – Practical	50		0	0	3	2
9	II		5	GGY 144	Theory (Compu Isory)	Introduction to Remote sensing and GIS	50	50	3	1	0	3
10				GGY 112 (P)	Practica 1	Introduction to Remote sensing and GIS	50		0	0	3	2

Agenda 2: Designing of Course Outcomes and Course Objectives

Discussion: The BoS Chairperson, informed the board about the Outcomes and Objectives of each course. The Board spent considerable amount of time and unanimously approved the Course outcomes of all courses.

Resolutions: All the Course Outcomes are Approved as framed in the BoS

Agenda 3: Identifying /inclusion of components of Skill Development, Employability and Entrepreneurship in the curriculum

Discussion: The members present discussed about the Skill development and Employability and Entrepreneurship components in the curriculum keeping in view of demand for the Job/Market oriented programs by the students. The members agreed in view of scope for enriching the student's knowledge and its applicability.

Resolutions: It is resolved to approve the inclusion of components of Skill Development, Employability and Entrepreneurship in the curriculum

Agenda 4: Additional inputs into the curriculum

Discussion: The members present discussed about the Additional inputs to the curriculum and approved to add some additional inputs for courses.

Resolutions: It is resolved to approve the Additional inputs added to the curriculum.

Agenda 5: Designing Model Question Papers and identifying potential paper setters.

Discussion: The members of BoS identified subject experts and prepared a list of examiners as well as paper setters for Semester End Examinations. The Board also discussed about the Blue print of the Question papers for SEE.

Resolutions: It is resolved to approve the list of examiners and paper setters for the Academic year 2021-22.

It is also resolved to approve the Blue print of the Question papers.

Agenda 6: Innovative Teaching – Learning Methodology (Learner Centric)

Discussion: The Chairman, updated the board about innovativeness of the Curriculum and he added that the topics in each course aligned to one of the Skill Development, Employability and Entrepreneurship components and the same highlighted with the respective colours. He further informed that for each course an identified NPTEL/SWAYAM course weblink also provided for the students in the BoS document for reference. He notified the board about the implementation of virtual labs for practical courses. The chairman mooted that all the practical courses are mapped to virtual labs and a QR code was provided in the BoS document so that the students will get more practical knowledge and he sought the opinion of the members on the same. The Internal and External subject experts appreciated the innovativeness and approved.

Resolutions: It is resolved to approve the Innovative Teaching – Learning Methodology as proposed in BoS

University Nominee

Local Nominee

Chairman Board of Studies
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