



**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FACULTY OF COMMERCE AND BUSINESS
UNIVERSITY OF DELHI**

COURSES OFFERED BY DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Category I

(Single Core Discipline)

[UG Programme for Bachelor of Commerce (Honours) degree in three years]

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE -1 (DSC-1) –: Management Principles and Applications

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Management Principles and Applications BCH: DSC-1.1	4	3	1	0	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

The course aims to familiarize the learner with extant and emerging management theories and practices for reflective and holistic thinking on management principles and practices.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. describe the various levels of management and applicability of management principles.
2. evaluate a company's competitive landscape as per Porter's Five-force model.
3. demonstrate various types of authority, delegation and decentralization in authority
4. demonstrate various types of leadership styles and identify the motivation techniques used by leaders.
5. discuss the impact of emerging issues in management.

SYLLABUS OF DSC-1

Unit 1: Introduction (2 Weeks)

Meaning and importance of management; Coordination mechanisms in organisations; Management theories- classical, neo-classical and modern constructions of management; Managerial functions; Managerial roles (Mintzberg); Managerial competencies. Indian Ethos for Management: Value-Oriented Holistic Management; Learning Lessons from Bhagavat Gita and Ramayana.

Unit 2: Planning (4 Weeks)

Organisational objective setting; Decision-making environment (certainty, risk, uncertainty); Techniques for individual and group decision-making; Planning vis-à-vis Strategy- meaning and elements of the business firm environment- micro, meso, and macro; Industry structure, Business-level strategic planning.

Unit 3: Organising (3 Weeks)

Decentralization and Delegation; Factors affecting organisational design; Departmentalization; Organisational structures and Organograms: traditional and modern, comparative suitability and changes over time; formal- informal organisations' interface.

Unit 4: Directing and Controlling (4 Weeks)

Motivation- meaning, importance and factors affecting motivation; Leadership- meaning, importance and factors affecting leadership, leadership styles, and followership. Controlling- Principles of controlling; Measures of controlling and accountability for performance.

Unit 5: Salient Developments and Contemporary Issues in Management (2 Weeks)

Management challenges of the 21st Century; Factors reshaping and redesigning management purpose, performance and reward perceptions- Internationalisation, Digitalisation, Entrepreneurship & Innovation, Values & Ethics - Case studies on Indian corporates like Tata, Bhilwara Group, IOC and Godrej, Workplace diversity, Democracy and Sociocracy, Subaltern management ideas from India.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to

1. participate in a role-play activity for describing the various levels of management and applicability of management principles in defining the policies of the chosen organisation.
2. identify a company and evaluate its competitive landscape as per Porter's Five-force model.
3. a) prepare a comparative analysis of organizational structures of various companies.
b) create a simulation exercise in class to demonstrate various types of authority, delegation and decentralization in authority
4. demonstrate various types of leadership styles in the form of role-play and identify the motivation techniques used by leaders.
5. discuss the impact of emerging issues in management.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Chhabra, T. N. (2021). Business Organisation and Management. Sun India Publications. New Delhi.
- Chakraborty, S. K. (1997). Human Values For Managers. Wheeler Publishing. (Case Studies - Chapter 1, 2, 4 and 8)
- Drucker, P. F. (1954). The Practice of Management. Newyork: Harper & Row.
- Drucker, P. F. (1999). Management Challenges for the 21st Century. Harper Collins Publishers Inc.
- Gupta, C. B., & Mathur, S. (2020). Management Principles and Applications. Scholar Tech Press, Delhi.
- Griffin. (2013). Management Principles and Application. Cengage.
- Koontz, H., & Weihrich, H. (2012). Essentials of Management: An International and Leadership Perspective. McGraw Hill Publications
- Kumar, P. (2019). Management: Principles and Applications. JSR Publication House LP, Delhi.
- Laasch, O. (2022). Principles of Management, 2e, Sage Textbook
- Mahajan, J. P., & Mahajan A. (2016). Management Principles and Applications. Vikas Publications.
- Mitra, J. K. (2018). Principles of Management. Oxford University Press.
- Rao, V. S. P. (2020). Management Principles and Applications. Taxmann Publications.
- Sharlekar, S. A. (2010). Management (Value-Oriented Holistic Approach). Himalaya Publishing House. (Chapters 3 and 4)
- Singh, B. P., & Singh, A. K. (2002). Essentials of Management. New Delhi. Excel Books Pvt. Ltd.
- Tulsian, P. C., & Pandey, V. (2021). Business Organisation & Management. Pearson Education, India

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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – 2 (DSC-2): Business Laws

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Prerequisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Laws BCH: DSC- 1.2	4	3	1	0	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

To impart basic knowledge of the important business laws relevant for the inception and conduct of general and business activities with relevant case laws.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. examine basic aspects of contracts vis-a-vis agreements and subsequently enter into valid business propositions.
2. describe various modes of discharge of contract and remedies available in case of a breach.
3. recognize and differentiate between the special contracts.
4. analyse the rights and obligations under the Sale of Goods Act.
5. apply skills to form and manage entrepreneurial ventures as LLP.

SYLLABUS OF DSC- 2

Unit 1: The Indian Contract Act, 1872 (2 Weeks)

Contract – meaning, characteristics and kinds; Essentials of a valid contract - offer and acceptance, consideration, contractual capacity, free consent, the legality of objects; Void agreements; Quasi-contracts.

Unit 2: Discharge of Contract and Remedies for Breach (4 Weeks)

Modes of discharge of contract: performance of a contract, mutual agreement, supervening impossibility, lapse of time, operation of law, breach of contract; Remedies for breach of contract: rescission, suit for damages, quantum meruit, suit for specific performance; suit for injunction.

Unit 3: Introduction to Special Contracts (3 Weeks)

Contracts of Indemnity and Guarantee; Contracts of Bailment and Pledge; Contract of Agency.

Unit 4: The Sale of Goods Act, 1930 (4 Weeks)

Contract of sale; Meaning and the difference between a sale and agreement to sell; Conditions and Warranties; Transfer of ownership in goods including sale by non-owners; Performance of the Contract of Sale; Unpaid seller – meaning and rights of an unpaid seller against the goods.

Unit 5: The Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008 (2 Weeks)

Salient Features and Nature of LLP; Small LLP; Difference between LLP and Partnership, LLP and Company; LLP Agreement; Incorporation Document; Incorporation by Registration; Registered office of LLP and change therein; Change and Rectification of the name of LLP; Partners and Designated Partners: Partners and their Relations; Extent and limitation of liability of LLP and partners; Whistleblowing; Conversion into LLP.

Practical Exercises –

The learners are required to

1. identify components of valid contracts present in the rent agreement/ sale deed/appointment letters used or seen in day-to-day life.
2. identify and enumerate types of damages in case of breach of contract under different real-life situations.
3. prepare a list of gratuitous and non-gratuitous bailment contracts entered into daily life.
4. analyse some case studies where ‘caveat venditor’ is applicable.
5. examine the RUN form and FiLLip webform from notification on the MCA portal and enlist the mandatory fields.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Bhushan, B., Kapoor, N. D., Abbi, R., & Kapoor, R. (2020). Elements of Business Laws. Sultan Chand
- Dagar, I., & Agnihotri, A., (2020). Business Laws, Sage Textbook
- Jagota, R. (2021). Business Laws. MKM Publishers ScholarTech Press.
- Kuchhal, M. C., & Kuchhal, V. (2013). Business Laws. New Delhi. Vikas Publishing House.
- Maheshwari, S. N., & Maheshwari, S. K. (2011). A Manual of Business Laws. Himalaya Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.
- Sharma, J. P., & Kanojia S. (2018). Business Laws. New Delhi. Bharat Law House Pvt. Ltd.
- Singh, A. (2008). The Principles of Mercantile Law. Lucknow. Eastern Book Company.
- Sulphey, M. M., & Basheer, Az-Har. (2014). Laws for Business, 5th ed. PHI Learning
- Tulsian, P. C. (2000). Business Law. New Delhi. Tata McGraw Hill.

Suggestive readings

- Arora, S. (2021) Business Laws. New Delhi. Taxmann.
- Das, & Roy, (2018). Business Laws. Oxford University Press
- Sharma, J. P., & Kanojia, S. (2015). Vyavsayik Sanniyam, Delhi University Hindi Cell. (For Hindi).
- The Indian Contract Act, 1872
- The Sale of Goods Act, 1930
- The Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008
- Tulsian, P. C. (2022). Business and Corporate Laws. S.Chand, Delhi.

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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE– 3 (DSC-3): Financial Accounting

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Financial Accounting BCH: DSC-1.3	4	2	1	1	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

The course aims to help learners to acquire conceptual knowledge of financial accounting, to impart skills for recording various kinds of business transactions and to prepare financial statements.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. apply the generally accepted accounting principles while recording transactions and preparing financial statements.
2. demonstrate the accounting process under a computerised accounting system.
3. measure business income applying relevant accounting standards.
4. evaluate the impact of depreciation and inventories on Business Income.
5. prepare the Financial Statements of sole proprietor firms and Not-For-Profit Organisations.
6. prepare the accounts for Inland Branches, Departments and Leases.

SYLLABUS OF DSC-3

Unit 1: Theoretical Framework and Accounting Process: (2 Weeks)

(A) Conceptual Framework

- (i) Accounting as an information system, the users of financial accounting information and their needs. An overview of Artificial Intelligence and Data Analytics in Accounting.
- (ii) Qualitative characteristics of accounting information. Functions, advantages and limitations of accounting. Branches of accounting. Basis of accounting: cash basis and accrual basis. Capital and revenue expenditures and receipts. Events occurring after the balance sheet date, Extraordinary Items, Prior Period Items, Accounting Estimate.

Accounting Policies, Fair Value, Meaning, Recognition and Disclosure Requirements of Provision, Contingent Liability and Contingent Asset.

- (iii) Financial Accounting Principles: Meaning and need; Generally Accepted Accounting Principles(GAPP): Entity, Money Measurement, Going Concern, Cost, Revenue Recognition, Realization, Fundamental Accounting Assumptions, Accruals, Periodicity, Full Disclosure, Consistency, Materiality, and Prudence (Conservatism). Fundamental Accounting Assumptions as per AS 1.
- (iv) Accounting Standards: Concept, benefits, and Process of formulation of Accounting Standards including Ind AS (IFRS converged standards) and IFRSs; convergence vs adoption; Application of accounting standards (AS and Ind AS) on various entities in India. International Financial Accounting Standards (IFRS) –meaning, need, and scope.

(B) Accounting Process

From the recording of a business transaction to the preparation of trial balance including adjustment, transfer and closing entries. Application of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in recording financial transactions and preparing financial statements and accounting treatment of GST.

Unit 2: Business Income, Accounting for Property, Plant and Equipment, and Valuation of Inventory: (3 Weeks)

- (a) Business income: Concept of Revenue and Business Income, Measurement of business income; relevance of accounting period, continuity doctrine and matching concept in the measurement of business income; Objectives of measurement of Business income.
- (b) Revenue recognition with reference to AS 9.
- (c) Accounting for Property, Plant, and Equipment with reference to AS 10. Impact of Depreciation on measurement of business income. Accounting for Intangible Assets with reference to AS 26.
- (d) Valuation of Inventory with reference to AS 2. Impact of inventory valuation on measurement of business income by using FIFO, LIFO, and Weighted Average Method.

Unit 3: Financial Statements of Sole Proprietorship and Not-for-Profit Organisations: (3 Weeks)

Preparation of Financial Statements of Sole Proprietorship and Not-for-Profit Organisations.

Unit 4: Accounting for Inland Branches, Departments and Leases: (4 Weeks)

- (a) Accounting for Inland Branches: Concept of Dependent branches; Branch Accounting as per- Debtors System, Stock and Debtors' System.
- (b) Accounting for Departments (excluding Mark-up Account).
- (c) Accounting for Leases with reference to AS 19.

Unit 5: Computerised Accounting Systems: (3 Weeks)

Computerised Accounting Systems: computerised Accounts by using any popular accounting software Creating a Company; Configure and Features settings; Creating Accounting Ledgers and Groups; Creating Stock Items and Groups; Vouchers Entry including GST; Generating Reports - Cash Book, Ledger Accounts, Trial Balance, Profit and Loss Account, Balance Sheet, Cash Flow Statement. Selecting and shutting a Company; Backup, and Restore data of a Company.

Notes:

1. The relevant Accounting Standards (both AS and Ind-AS) for all of the above topics should be covered.
2. Any revision of the relevant Indian Accounting Standard/Accounting Standard would become applicable after it is included in the guidelines issued by the Department of Commerce.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to

1. download 'Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements from the websites of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) to analyse the qualitative characteristics of accounting information provided therein.
2. collect and examine the balance sheets of business Organisations to study how these are prepared.
3. examine the accounting policies and revenue recognition policies by collecting necessary data from small business firms.
4. prepare Trading and Profit & Loss Account and Balance Sheet collecting necessary data from small business firms.
5. prepare financial statements manually and using appropriate software.
6. prepare accounts of Inland Branches.
7. collect data from your college and prepare a Receipt and Payment Account, Income and Expenditure Account and Balance Sheet.

Essential/recommended readings

- Anthony, R. N., Hawkins, D., & Merchant, K. A. (2019). Accounting: Text and Cases McGraw-Hill Education India.
- Batra, J. K., (2018). Accounting and Finance for Non-finance Managers, Sage Textbook
- Bhattacharyya, A. K. (2021). Essentials of Financial Accounting, 6th ed. PHI learning;
- Narayanaswamy, R. (2020). Financial Accounting: A Managerial Perspective, 7th ed. PHI learning
- Dam, B. B., & Gautam, H. C. (2011). Financial Accounting. Gayatri Publications, Guwahati.
- Goldwin, N., Alderman, W., & Sanyal, D. (2016). Financial Accounting. Cengage Learning, Boston.
- Goyal, B. K., & Tiwari, H. N. (2021). Financial Accounting. Taxmann Publication, New Delhi.

- Horngren, C. T., & Philbrick, D. (2014). Introduction to Financial Accounting, Pearson Education, London.
- Kumar, A. (2018). Financial Accounting. Singhal Publication.
- Lal, J., Srivastava, S., & Abrol. S. (2017). Financial Accounting Text & Problems. Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
- Lt Bhupinder. (2020). Financial Accounting – Concepts and Applications. Cengage.
- Maheshwari, S. N., Maheshwari, S. K., & Maheshwari, S. K. (2018). Financial Accounting. Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
- Monga, J. R., & Bahadur, R. (2022) Financial Accounting: Concepts and Applications. Scholar Tech Press, New Delhi.
- Mukherjee. (2018). Financial Accounting. Oxford University Press
- Sah, R. K. (2019). Concept Building Approach to Financial Accounting. Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.
- Sehgal, A., & Sehgal D. (2015). Fundamentals of Financial Accounting. Taxmann.
- Sehgal, D. (2016). Financial Accounting. Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
- Shah, P. (2019). Financial Accounting for Management. Oxford University Press
- Shukla, M. C., Grewal, T. S., & Gupta, S. C. (2017). Advanced Accounts. Vol.-I. Sultan Chand Publishing, New Delhi.
- Tulsian, P. C. (2016). Financial Accounting. S Chand Ltd., New Delhi.

Suggestive readings

- Accounting Standards at the Website of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.
- Indian Accounting Standards at the Website of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.

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Assessment Method:

1. There shall be 2 credit hours for lectures + one credit hour (Two Practical Periods per week per batch) for practical lab + one credit hour for tutorials (per group).
2. Examination scheme for computerised accounting system: Practical for 20 marks. The practical exam will be for one hour.
3. Theory exam shall carry 80 marks (Including an Internal Assessment of 25 Marks). The theory exam will be for 2.5 hours.

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Category III

B. Com.

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE (DSC-1): BUSINESS ORGANISATION AND MANAGEMENT

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation and Management BC: DSC-1.1	4	3	1	0	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

The course aims to develop an understanding of business organisations, functions and challenges of management and contemporary issues in management.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. explain the dynamics of business organisations and recent management practices.
2. describe varied perspectives related to the business environment and entrepreneurship.
3. analyse how the organisations adapt to an uncertain environment and decipher decision-making techniques.
4. analyse the relationship amongst functions of management i.e. planning, organizing, directing and controlling.
5. analyse the change in the working pattern of modern organisations.

SYLLABUS OF DSC-1

Unit 1: Introduction (3 Weeks)

Role of organisations and management in our lives; Nature and Functions of Management (An overview); Managerial Competencies, Ownership forms; Business formats- Brick & Mortar; Click; Brick & Click; E-commerce; Franchising; Outsourcing.

Unit 2: Business Environment and Entrepreneurship (3 Weeks)

Meaning and layers of Business Environment (micro/immediate, meso/intermediate, macro and international); Business ethics and social responsibility; Entrepreneurship and its

relevance, Business and social entrepreneurship as a process of opportunity/problem; Micro, small and medium Enterprises; Government Policy regarding MSMEs

Unit 3: Planning and Organizing (3 Weeks)

Strategic Planning – Business and Corporate Level Strategies; Decision-making- process and techniques; Organizing, Formal and Informal Organisations, Centralisation and Decentralisation, Organisational structures – Divisional, Product, Matrix, Project and Virtual Organisation

Unit 4: Directing and Controlling (3 Weeks)

Motivation- needs (including Maslow's theory), incentives, Equity and two-factor theory (Herzberg); McGregor Theory X and Theory Y; Leadership – Leadership Styles, Transactional Vs. Transformational Leadership; Followership – meaning, importance and Kelley's Followership Model; Communication – New trends and directions (Role of IT and social media); Controlling –Techniques of Controlling Relationship between planning and controlling

Unit 5: Indian Ethos and Contemporary Issues in Management (3 Weeks)

Indian Ethos for Management: Value-Oriented Holistic Management; Learning Lessons from Bhagavat Gita and Ramayana. Business Process Reengineering (BPR), Learning Organisation, Six Sigma, Supply Chain Management, Subaltern Management Ideas from India; Diversity & inclusion; Work-life Balance; Freelancing; Flexi-time and work from home; Co-sharing/co-working.

Practical Exercises

The learners are required to

1. complete the exercise wherein they are given different situations and scenarios to start their own business (in terms of capital, liability, the scale of operations, etc.) and are asked to select the most suitable form of business and justify the same highlighting the advantages and disadvantages of their choice.
2. participate in a role-play activity for describing the various levels of Management and competencies.
3. each learner is required to identify various elements affecting the business environment and conduct a SWOT analysis for the company identified.
4. participate in a simulation activity wherein each learner is asked to prepare strategic plans concerning increasing the effectiveness of their respective organisation.
5. present a role play on bounded rationality or any aspect of decision making.
6. create a simulation exercise in class to demonstrate various types of authority, delegation, and decentralization of authority.
7. using Maslow's Need-Hierarchy Theory, analyse various needs and prepare a report.
8. demonstrate various types of Leadership Styles in the form of Role Play by identifying real-life leaders from the corporate world.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Basu, C. (2017). Business Organisation and Management. McGraw Hill Education.
- Chhabra, T. N. (2021). Business Organisation and Management. Sun India Publications. New Delhi.
- Drucker, P. F. (1954). The Practice of Management. Newyork: Harper & Row.
- Kalra, S., & Singhal, N. (2020). Business Organisation and Management. Scholar Tech Press, Delhi.
- Kaul, V. K. (2012). Business Organisation Management. Pearson Education.
- Koontz, H., & Weihrich, H. (2012). Essentials of Management: An International and Leadership Perspective. Paperback.
- Laasch, O. (2022). Principles of Management, 2e, Sage Textbook
- Sherlekar, S. A. (2016). Modern Business Organisation and Management. Himalaya Publishing House.
- Singh, B. P., & Singh, A. K. (2002). Essentials of Management. New Delhi. Excel Books Pvt. Ltd.
- Vasishth, N., & Rajput N. (2013). Business Organisation & Management Kitab Mahal, Delhi.

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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – 2 (DSC-2): BUSINESS LAWS

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Prerequisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Laws BC: DSC-1.2	4	3	1	0	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

To impart basic knowledge of the important business laws relevant for the inception and conduct of general and business activities with relevant case laws.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. analyse the basic aspects of contracts vis-a-vis agreements and subsequently enter into valid business propositions.
2. describe various modes of discharge of contract and remedies available in case of breach.
3. recognize and differentiate between the special contracts.
4. analyse the rights and obligations under the Sale of Goods Act.
5. attain skills to form and manage entrepreneurial ventures as LLP.

SYLLABUS OF DSC- 2

Unit 1: The Indian Contract Act, 1872 (3.5 Weeks)

Contract – meaning, characteristics and kinds; Essentials of a valid contract - offer and acceptance, consideration, contractual capacity, free consent, the legality of objects; Void agreements; Quasi–contracts.

Unit 2: Discharge of Contract and Remedies for Breach (1.5 Weeks)

Modes of discharge of contract: performance of a contract, mutual agreement, supervening impossibility, lapse of time, operation of law, breach of contract; Remedies for breach of contract: rescission, suit for damages, quantum meruit, suit for specific performance; suit for injunction.

Unit 3: Introduction to Special Contracts (1.5 Weeks)

Contracts of Indemnity and Guarantee; Contracts of Bailment and Pledge; Contract of Agency.

Unit 4: The Sale of Goods Act, 1930 (3.5 Weeks)

Contract of sale; Meaning and the difference between a sale and agreement to sell; Conditions and Warranties; Transfer of ownership in goods including sale by non-owners; Performance of the Contract of Sale; Unpaid seller – meaning and rights of an unpaid seller against the goods.

Unit 5: The Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008 (5 Weeks)

Salient Features and Nature of LLP; Small LLP; Difference between LLP and Partnership, LLP and Company; LLP Agreement; Incorporation Document; Incorporation by registration; Registered office of LLP and change therein; Change and Rectification of the name of LLP; Partners and Designated Partners: Partners and their Relations; Extent and limitation of liability of LLP and partners; Whistleblowing; Conversion into LLP.

Practical Exercises

The learners are required to:

1. identify components of valid contracts present in the rent agreement/ sale deed/appointment letters used or seen in day-to-day life.
2. identify and enumerate types of damages in case of breach of contract under different real-life situations.
3. prepare a list of gratuitous and non-gratuitous bailment contracts entered in daily life.
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- Sharma, J. P., & Kanojia, S. (2018). Business Laws. New Delhi. Bharat Law House Pvt. Ltd.
- Singh, A. (2008). The Principles of Mercantile Law. Lucknow. Eastern Book Company.
- Sulphey, M. M., & Basheer, AZ-HAR. (2014). Laws for Business, 5th ed. PHI Learning
- Tulsian, P. C. (2000) Business Law. New Delhi. Tata McGraw Hill.

Suggestive Readings

- Arora, S. (2021) Business Laws. New Delhi. Taxmann.
- Das & Roy (2018). Business Laws. Oxford University Press.
- Sharma, J. P., & Kanojia S. (2015). Vyavsayik Sanniyam, Delhi University Hindi Cell. (For Hindi)
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- The Sale of Goods Act, 1930.
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Learning Objectives

The course aims to help learners to acquire conceptual knowledge of financial accounting, to impart skills for recording various kinds of business transactions and to prepare financial statements.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. analyse the generally accepted accounting principles while recording transactions and preparing financial statements.
2. demonstrate the accounting process under a computerized accounting system.
3. measure business income applying relevant accounting standards.
4. evaluate the impact of depreciation and inventories on Business Income.
5. prepare the Financial Statements of sole proprietor firms and Not-For-Profit Organisations.
6. prepare the accounts for Inland Branches, Departments and Leases.

SYLLABUS OF DSC- 3

Unit 1: Theoretical Framework and Accounting Process: (2 Weeks)

(A) Conceptual Framework

- (i) Accounting as an information system, the users of financial accounting information and their needs. An overview of Artificial Intelligence and Data Analytics in Accounting.
- (ii) Qualitative characteristics of accounting information. Functions, advantages and limitations of accounting. Branches of accounting. Basis of accounting: cash basis and accrual basis. Capital and revenue expenditures and receipts. Events occurring after the balance sheet date, Extraordinary Items, Prior Period Items, Accounting Estimate. Accounting Policies, Fair Value, Meaning, Recognition and Disclosure Requirements of Provision, Contingent Liability and Contingent Asset.
- (iii) Financial Accounting Principles: Meaning and need; Generally Accepted Accounting Principles(GAPP): Entity, Money Measurement, Going Concern, Cost, Revenue

Recognition, Realization, Fundamental Accounting Assumptions, Accruals, Periodicity, Full Disclosure, Consistency, Materiality, and Prudence (Conservatism).
Fundamental Accounting Assumptions as per AS 1.

- (iv) Accounting Standards: Concept, benefits, and Process of formulation of Accounting Standards including Ind AS (IFRS converged standards) and IFRSs; convergence vs adoption; Application of accounting standards (AS and Ind AS) on various entities in India. International Financial Accounting Standards (IFRS) –meaning, need, and scope.

(B) Accounting Process

From the recording of a business transaction to the preparation of trial balance including adjusting, transfer and closing entries. Application of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in recording financial transactions and preparing financial statements and accounting treatment of GST.

Unit 2: Business Income, Accounting for Property, Plant and Equipment, and Valuation of Inventory: (3 Weeks)

- (a) Business income: Concept of Revenue and Business Income, Measurement of business income; relevance of accounting period, continuity doctrine and matching concept in the measurement of business income; Objectives of measurement of Business income.
- (b) Revenue recognition with reference to AS 9.
- (c) Accounting for Property, Plant, and Equipment with reference to AS 10. Impact of Depreciation on measurement of business income. Accounting for Intangible Assets with reference to AS 26.
- (d) Valuation of Inventory with reference to AS 2. Impact of inventory valuation on measurement of business income by using FIFO, LIFO, and Weighted Average Method.

Unit 3: Financial Statements of Sole Proprietorship and Not-for-Profit Organisations: (3 Weeks)

Preparation of Financial Statements of Sole Proprietorship and Not-for-Profit Organisations

Unit 4: Accounting for Inland Branches, Departments and Leases: (4 Weeks)

- (a) Accounting for Inland Branches: Concept of Dependent branches; Branch Accounting as per- Debtors System, Stock and Debtors' System
- (b) Accounting for Departments (excluding Mark-up Account)
- (c) Accounting for Leases with reference to AS 19

Unit 5: Computerized Accounting Systems: (3 Weeks)

Computerized Accounting Systems: Computerized Accounts by using any popular accounting software Creating a Company; Configure and Features settings; Creating Accounting Ledgers and Groups; Creating Stock Items and Groups; Vouchers Entry including GST; Generating Reports - Cash Book, Ledger Accounts, Trial Balance, Profit and Loss Account, Balance Sheet, Cash Flow Statement. Selecting and shutting a Company; Backup, and Restore data of a Company.

Notes:

- (1) The relevant Accounting Standards (both AS Ind AS) for all of the above topics should be covered.
- (2) Any revision of the relevant Indian Accounting Standard/Accounting Standard would become applicable.

Practical Exercises

The learners are required to:

1. Download 'Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements from the websites of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) to analyse the qualitative characteristics of accounting information provided therein.
2. Collect and examine the balance sheets of business Organisations to study how these are prepared.
3. Examine the accounting policies and revenue recognition policies by collecting necessary data from small business firms.
4. Prepare Trading and Profit & Loss Account and Balance Sheet collecting necessary data from small business firms.
5. Prepare financial statements manually and using appropriate software.
6. Prepare accounts of Inland Branches.
7. Collect data from your college and prepare a Receipt and Payment Account, Income and Expenditure Account and Balance Sheet.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Anthony, R. N., Hawkins, D., & Merchant, K. A. (2019) "Accounting: Text and Cases" McGraw-Hill Education India.
- Batra, J. K., (2018) Accounting and Finance for Non-finance Managers, Sage Textbook
- Bhattacharyya, A. K. (2021) Essentials of Financial Accounting, 6th ed. PHI learning
- Narayanaswamy, R. (2020) Financial Accounting: A Managerial Perspective, 7th ed. PHI learning
- Dam, B. B., & Gautam, H. C. (2011).Financial Accounting. Gayatri Publications, Guwahati.
- Goldwin, N., Alderman, W., & Sanyal, D. (2016). Financial Accounting. Cengage Learning, Boston.
- Goyal, B. K., & Tiwari, H. N. (2021). Financial Accounting. Taxmann Publication, New Delhi.
- Horngren, C. T., & Philbrick, D. (2014). Introduction to Financial Accounting. Pearson Education, London.
- Kumar, A. (2018). Financial Accounting. Singhal Publication.

- Lal, J., Srivastava, S. & Abrol, S. (2017). Financial Accounting Text & Problems. Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
- Lt Bhupinder. (2020). Financial Accounting – Concepts and Applications. Cengage.
- Maheshwari, S. N., Maheshwari, S. K., & Maheshwari, S. K. (2018). Financial Accounting. Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
- Monga, J. R. & Bahadur, R. (2022). Financial Accounting: Concepts and Applications. Scholar Tech Press, New Delhi.
- Mukherjee. (2018). Financial Accounting. Oxford University Press
- Sah, R. K. (2019). Concept Building Approach to Financial Accounting. Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.
- Sehgal, A. & Sehgal, D. (2015). Fundamentals of Financial Accounting. Taxmann.
- Sehgal, D. (2016). Financial Accounting. Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
- Shah, P. (2019). Financial Accounting for Management. Oxford University Press
- Shukla, M. C., Grewal, T. S., & Gupta, S. C. (2017). Advanced Accounts. Vol.-I. Sultan Chand Publishing, New Delhi.
- Tulsian, P. C. (2016). Financial Accounting. S. Chand Ltd., New Delhi.

Suggestive Readings:

- Accounting Standards at the Website of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India
- Indian Accounting Standards at the Website of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.

Note: Readings will be updated by the Department of Commerce and uploaded on Department's website.

Assessment Method:

1. There shall be 2 credit hours for lectures + one credit hour (Two Practical Periods per week per batch) for practical lab + one credit hour for tutorials (per group).
2. Examination scheme for computerized accounting system: Practical for 20 marks. The practical exam will be for one hour.
3. Theory exam shall carry 80 marks (Including Internal Assessment of 25 Marks). The theory exam will be for 2.5 hours.

Note: Examination scheme and mode shall be as prescribed by the Examination Branch, University of Delhi, from time to time.

Category III

Commerce Courses for Undergraduate Programme of study with discipline as one of the Core Disciplines

(B.A. Programmes with Commerce (Entrepreneurship and Small Business) as non-Major or Minor discipline)

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation BAC:DSC-1.1 (Major)	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL
Fundamentals of Business organisation for Entrepreneurs (Major/ Minor) BAC: Discipline (ESB): 1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE (DSC-1): BUSINESS ORGANISATION (Major)

Learning Objectives

The course aims to familiarize the students with the forms of business organisation and contemporary issues.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. analyse the dynamics of business organisations
2. describe the various forms of business organisations
3. examine varied perspectives related to the business environment and entrepreneurship.
4. evaluate the change in the working pattern of modern organisations.
5. explore contemporary issues in business organizations.

SYLLABUS OF DSC-1

Unit 1: Introduction (2 Weeks)

Business – Concept, nature and scope, business as a system, business objectives, business and environment interface, distinction between business, commerce and trade, Business ethics, social responsibilities of Business

Unit 2: Business Enterprises (4 Weeks)

Forms of Business Organisation: Sole Proprietorship, Partnership firm, Joint Stock Company, One Person Company, Cooperative society; Limited Liability Partnership; Multinational Corporations; Choice of Form of Organisation; Business Combination: Need and Objectives, Forms: Mergers, Takeovers and Acquisitions

Unit 3: Business Environment (3 Weeks)

Meaning and significance of Business environment, Internal and external environment, Dimensions of Business Environment; Uncertainty and business; Environmental Analysis and Diagnosis, Environment scanning techniques: SWOT and ETOP

Unit 4: Entrepreneurship: Founding the Business (4 Weeks)

Entrepreneur- Entrepreneurship- Enterprise; entrepreneurial ideas and opportunities in the contemporary business environment; Process of entrepreneurship; Forms of entrepreneurship; Skill India, Startup India, Make in India, Glocalisation.

Unit 5: Contemporary Issues of Business Organisations (2 Weeks)

Emerging Issues and Challenges; Innovation in Organisational Design; Learning Organisations, Workforce Diversity, Franchising, Outsourcing, and E-commerce; Government and business interface; Sustainability; Digitalisation and Technological innovations

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to

1. complete the exercise wherein they are given different situations and scenarios to start their own business (in terms of capital, liability, the scale of operations, etc.) and are asked to select the most suitable form of business and justify the same highlighting the advantages and disadvantages of their choice.
2. identify various elements affecting the business environment and conduct a SWOT analysis for the company identified.
3. visit different enterprises and present a report on business models followed by them through a comparative analysis.
4. record and report their observations regarding the Emerging Issues and Challenges of Business Organisations
5. identify changes in the working pattern of modern organisations.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Basu, C. (2017). Business Organisation and Management. McGraw Hill Education.
- Chhabra, T. N. (2020). Business Organisation and Management. Sun India Publications. New Delhi.
- Drucker, P. F. (1954). The Practice of Management. Newyork: Harper & Row.
- Kaul, V. K. (2012). Business Organisation Management. Pearson Education.
- Koontz, H., & Weihrich, H. (2012). Essentials of Management: An International and Leadership Perspective. Paperback.
- Laasch, O. (2022), Principles of Management, 2e, Sage Textbook
- Singh, B. P., & Singh, A. K. (2002). Essentials of Management. New Delhi. Excel Books Pvt. Ltd.

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DISCIPLINE CORE: FUNDAMENTALS OF BUSINESS ORGANISATION FOR ENTREPRENEURS (Major/ Minor)

Learning Objectives

The purpose of this course is to facilitate awareness about the nature of the business activity, ownership types and the dynamic environment in which the business operates.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. summarize the relationship between business and the environment.
2. analyze the environmental factors affecting business with special reference to SWOT analysis.
3. interpret various forms of business organisations.
4. analyze the principles of business management.

Unit I: Introduction (4 Weeks)

Concept of business, industry & commerce and their interrelationship in today's environment; MSME- definitions; Profile of activities; Role of MSMEs in Indian economy (national and state- level)

Unit II: Organizational Structures (4 Weeks)

Line organization, staff organization, functional organization, product organization, project organization, matrix organization, network organization, team-based organizational structure; Difference between Hierarchical and flat structure.

Unit III: Establishing different forms of business organization (4 Weeks)

Legal aspects of establishing – sole proprietorship, partnership, limited liability partnership, private limited company, public limited company, cooperatives & self-help groups, HUF and family business; Different reporting requirements of above forms of business.

Unit IV: Principles of Business Management (3 Weeks)

Evolution of management; Principles of management - concept, nature and significance; Fayol's principles of management; Taylor's scientific management- principles and techniques; Role of management in our lives; Functional areas of management – an overview

Practical Exercise:

The learners are required to:

1. Compare various kinds of business organisations and justify how suitable they are to achieve sustainability.
2. Chose five businesses and make their SWOT analysis.
3. Visit the business houses following different forms of business organisations and make a comparative analysis on their organisational structure.
4. After visiting the business organisations, make a report on the extent of following of business management principles.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Basu, C. (2017). Business Organisation and Management. McGraw Hill Education.
- Burton, G., & Thakur, M. (1998). Management Today: Principles and Practice. New Delhi. Tata McGraw Hill.
- Gupta, C. B. (2011). Modern Business Organisation. New Delhi. Mayur Paperbacks.
- Kaul, V. K. (2012). Business Organisation Management. Pearson Education.
- Koontz, H., & Weihrich, H. (2012). Essentials of Management: An International and Leadership Perspective. Paperback.
- Singh, B. P., & Singh, A. K. (2003). Essentials of Management. New Delhi. Excel Books Pvt. Ltd.

Suggestive Readings

- Buskirk, R. H., et al. (1972). Concepts of Business: An Introduction to Business System. New York. Dryden Press.
- Griffin, R. W. (2009). Management Principles and Application. Cengage Learning.
- Griffin, R. W., Phillips, J. M., & Gully, S. M. (2019). Organisational Behavior: Managing People and Organisations. Biztantra publishers.

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B.A. Programmes with Commerce (Accounting and Finance) as non-Major or Minor discipline

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation BAC:DSC-1.1 (Major)	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL
Fundamentals of Financial management (Major/ Minor) BAC: Discipline (A&F): 1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL

DISCIPLINE CORE: FUNDAMENTALS OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT (Major/ Minor)

Learning Objectives

To familiarize the students with the principles and practices of financial management.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. explain the financial environment within which the organization must operate
2. analyze the finances of individual corporations both in terms of their performance and capital budgeting
3. relate the importance of cost of capital within the context of financial decision making
4. access financial information from a wide variety of sources and use this information
5. estimate working capital requirement in a firm along with an understanding of cash management.

Unit 1: Financial Management: An Overview (2 Weeks)

Meaning, Importance, and Scope of Financial Management. Traditional and Modern Approach, Objectives and Functions of Financial Management, An Overview of Finance and Others Discipline, Role of Finance Manager, Agency Problem.

Unit 2: Time Value of Money (2 Weeks)

Time Value of Money- Concept and Rationale, Valuation Techniques- Discounting and Compounding. Practical Applications of Time Value of Money, Concept of Risk and Return.

Unit 3: Investment Decisions (5 Weeks)

- (a) Capital Budgeting Decisions- Capital Budgeting Process, Cash flow estimation. Techniques of Capital Budgeting- Payback Period, Accounting Rate of Return, Net Present Value, Internal Rate of Return and Profitability Index.
- (b) Working Capital Decisions - Concept of Working Capital, Operating & Cash Cycles, Risk-return Trade-off, Sources of short-term Finance, Working Capital Estimation.

Unit 4: Cost of Capital & Financing Decisions (3 Weeks)

Sources of Long-Term Financing, Components of Cost of Capital, Method for Calculating Cost of Equity, Cost of Retained Earnings, Cost of Debt, Cost of Preference Capital and Weighted Average Cost of Capital. Operating and Financial Leverage. An Overview of Theories of Capital Structure, Determinants of Capital Structure.

Unit 5: Dividend Decisions (3 Weeks)

Introduction, Theories of Dividend – Irrelevance and Relevance, Types of Dividend Policies and Determinants of Dividend policy. Bonus Share (Stock Dividend) and Stock (Share) Splits.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to:

1. analyse and interpret case studies on capital budgeting, financial structure and working capital of a company based on annual reports and other information.
2. determine the operating cycle of the manufacturing company.
3. use excel for evaluating various financing decisions.
4. determine the capital structure of various companies from their annual reports.
5. determine the working capital of various companies from their annual reports.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Kothari, R. (2016). Financial Management: A Contemporary Approach. Sage Publications Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi.
- Pandey, I.M. (2011). Essentials of Financial Management. Vikas Publications. New Delhi
- Rustagi, R. P. (2019). Basic Financial Management Sultan Chand, New Delhi
- Sharma, S. K., & Sareen, R. (2018). Fundamentals of Financial Management Sultan Chand & Sons (P) Ltd. New Delhi.
- Singh, J. K. (2016). Basic Financial Management: Theory and Practice. Galgotia Publishing House New Delhi
- Singh, P. (2011). Financial Management. Ane Books Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi
- Singh, S., & Kaur, R. (2020). Basic Financial Management. Kitab Mahal. New Delhi
- Tulsian, P.C., & Tulsian, B. (2010). Financial Management. S.Chand. New Delhi.

Suggestive Readings:

- Chandra, P. (2011). Financial Management: Theory and Practice. Tata McGraw Hills, New Delhi.
- Horne, J. C. V., & Wachowicz, J. M. (2010). Fundamentals of Financial Management. Pearson Education

- Khan, M. Y., & Jain, P. K. (2007). Financial Management: Text and Problems. Tata McGraw Hills, New Delhi.

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Assessment Method:

- (1) There shall be 3 credit hours for lectures + one credit hour for tutorials (per group).
- (2) The theory exam shall carry 100 marks (including an Internal Assessment of 25 Marks). The theory exam will be for 3 hours.

Note: Readings will be updated by the Department of Commerce and uploaded on Department's website.

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B.A. Programmes with Commerce (BANKING AND INSURANCE) as non-Major or Minor discipline

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation BAC:DSC-1.1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL
Introduction to Insurance BAC: Discipline (B&I):1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL

DISCIPLINE CORE: INTRODUCTION TO INSURANCE (Major/ Minor)

Learning Objectives

The course aims to familiarise the students with different aspects of insurance to develop an understanding of the basic concepts, nature and principles of insurance.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. Describe the basic concept of Insurance;
2. Analyse the different Principles of Insurance;
3. Interpret the nature of the Insurance Contract;
4. Summarise the various types of documentation processes related to Insurance;
5. Describe the Emerging Trends in Insurance Industry

Unit 1: Introduction to Insurance (3 Weeks)

Insurance – Growth, Origin and History of Insurance, Purpose and Need, Meaning and Definition of Insurance, Characteristics of Insurance, Benefits of insurance, Functions of Insurance.

Unit II: Principles of Insurance (3 Weeks)

Principle of Utmost good faith (Uberrimae Fidei), Principle of Indemnity, Principle of Contribution, Principle of Mitigation of Loss, Principle of Subrogation, Principle of Proximate Cause, Principle of Insurable Interest.

Unit III: Nature of Insurance Contract (3 Weeks)

Salient features of a contract of insurance under Section 10 of Indian Contract Act 1872, Types of insurance contract – Personal, Property, Liability, and Guarantee Insurance, Insurance contract vs Wagering agreement, Assurance vs Insurance, Gambling vs Insurance.

Unit IV: Documentation and Claim Settlement (3 Weeks)

Proposal Forms, Policy Bonus, Cover Note, Certificate of Insurance, Nomination and assignment comparison. Claim settlement procedure - Death claim and Maturity claim, documents required for claim settlement.

Unit V Emerging Trends in Insurance Industry (3 Weeks)

Reforms in Indian Insurance Sector, Malhotra Committee, Liberation and Globalisation of Insurance Sector: Future Trends, Opportunities ahead, Macro Insurance, Major Players in Indian Insurance Industry, Bancassurance

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to:

1. Organise various group discussions and case studies related to basic aspects of insurance.
2. Disseminate the experiences and apply the knowledge among peer groups, friends and relatives about the principles of insurance.
3. Conduct a small survey in their locality about different dimensions of an insurance contract.
4. Analyse and interpret the various aspects of Documentation and Claim Settlement.
5. Examine the Emerging Trends in Insurance Industry through Case Studies.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Chaturvedi, D. D., & Mittal, A. (2021). Banking and Insurance, Scholar Tech Press, New Delhi.
- Kumar, S. (2019). Fundamentals of Insurance & Risk Management, JSR Publications, New Delhi.
- Sethi, J., & Bhatia, N. (2012). Elements of Banking and Insurance, PHI learning Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.

Suggestive Readings:

- Banking and Insurance- Law & Practice, The Institute of Company Secretaries of India, New Delhi
- Imam, A. (2011). Principles and Practice of Life Insurance in India. Anmol Publications Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi
- Loomba, J. (2014). Risk Management and Insurance Planning. PHI Learning Private Limited, New Delhi.

- Singh, I., & Katyal, R. (2014). Insurance Principles and Practice. Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi

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B.A. Programmes with Commerce (ADVERTISING, SALES PROMOTION A SALES MANAGEMENT) as non-Major or Minor discipline

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation BAC:DSC-1.1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL
Principles of Marketing BAC: Discipline (ASPSM)- 1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL

DISCIPLINE CORE: PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING (Major/ Minor)

Learning Objectives

The objective of this course is to provide basic knowledge of concepts, principles, tools and techniques of marketing and to provide knowledge about various developments in marketing.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. develop an understanding of basic concepts of marketing, marketing philosophies and environmental conditions affecting the marketing decisions of a firm.
2. explain the dynamics of consumer behaviour and the process of market selection through STP stages.
3. analyze the process of value creation through marketing decisions involving product development.
4. identify and analyze the marketing decisions involving product pricing and its distribution.
5. explore the marketing decisions involving product promotion and also equip them with the knowledge of various developments in the marketing area that may govern the marketing decisions of a firm.

Unit 1: Introduction to Marketing (3 Weeks)

Meaning, Scope and Importance; Marketing Philosophies; Marketing Mix for goods and services

Marketing Environment

Need for studying marketing environment; Micro environmental factors- company, suppliers, marketing intermediaries, customers, competitors, publics; Macro

environmental factors – demographic, economic, natural, technological, politico-legal and socio-cultural.

Unit 2: Consumer Behaviour (3 Weeks)

Need for studying consumer behaviour; Stages in Consumer buying decision process; Factors influencing consumer buying decisions.

Market Selection

Market Segmentation: Concept and Bases. Market Targeting, Product Positioning – concept and bases.

Unit 3: Product Decisions (3 Weeks)

Concept and classification; Levels of Product. Product- mix; Branding- concept, types, significance, qualities of the good brand name; Packaging and Labeling-types and functions; Product support service; Product life cycle.

Unit 4: Pricing Decisions (3 Weeks)

Objectives, Factors affecting the price of a product; Skimming and Penetration pricing.

Distribution Decisions

Channels of distribution- types and functions; Distribution logistics decisions.

Unit V: Promotion Decisions (3 Weeks)

Communication process; Importance of Promotion. Promotion mix tools: Distinctive characteristics of advertising, personal selling, sales promotion, public relations, and direct marketing.

Developments in Marketing

Sustainable Marketing, Rural marketing, Social marketing, Digital marketing – an overview.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to:

1. Submit a report on the marketing mix of a good and/or service of your choice.
2. Examine the stages of the buyer decision process in a recent purchase done by you and detail your experiences in each stage. What could the seller have done to make your buying experience better?
3. Select any five consumer products of your choice and examine their current stage in the product life cycle.
4. Draft a report on the promotion mix strategy for any five products of your choice.
5. Identify 5 real-life products each that have been using penetration pricing and market-skimming pricing.
6. Identify 10 social marketing initiatives that can be currently observed in the environment.
7. Identify 20 brand names of real-life products of your choice and justify why they are good brand names.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Etzel, M. J., Walker, B. J., Stanton, W. J., & Pandit, A. (2010). Marketing (14th ed.). Mc Graw Hill.
- Grewal, D., & Levy, M. (2022). Marketing (8th ed.). McGraw-Hill Education.
- Kapoor, N. (2021) Principles of Marketing, Prentice Hall of India.
- Kotler, P., Keller, K L., & Chernev, A. (2022). Marketing Management (16th Edition). Pearson Education.
- Kotler, P., Armstrong, G. & Agnihotri, P. (2018). Principles of Marketing (17th Edition), Pearson Education. Indian edition.
- Sharma, K., & Swati Aggarwal. (2021). Principles of Marketing. Taxmann Publications.

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B.A. Programmes with Commerce (HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT) as non-Major or Minor discipline

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation BAC:DSC-1.1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL
Human Resource Management BAC: Discipline (HRM)- 1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL

DISCIPLINE CORE: HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (Major/ Minor)

Learning Objectives

The course aims to acquaint the students with the importance, techniques, and principles of human resources in the workplace.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. explicate the importance of human resource management.
2. analyze the concept and sources of the recruitment and selection process.
3. design performance appraisal techniques.
4. devise effective compensation schemes that enhance employee satisfaction and promote retention.
5. cater to the dynamics of the business environment.

Unit 1: Introduction to Human Resource Management (3 Weeks)

Basic concepts and significance of HRM, Role and Functions of an HR manager. Emerging issues in human resource management: Workplace diversity, employee empowerment, downsizing, VRS, work-life balance, and work from home.

Unit 2: Acquisition of Human Resources (3 Weeks)

Job analysis, concept and sources of recruitment, selection, placement, induction and socialization.

Unit 3: Training and Development (3 Weeks)

Concept and importance; Role-specific and competency-based training; Training methods - Apprenticeship, understudy, job rotation, vestibule training, Development methods - case study, role-playing, sensitivity training, In-basket, management games, conferences and seminars, coaching and mentoring, management development programs; Training process outsourcing.

Unit 4: Compensation and Maintenance (3 Weeks)

Compensation- concept administration and methods - time and piece wage system; Fringe benefits; Employee stock option, pay band compensation system; Maintenance- concept and rationale of employee health, safety, welfare and social security (excluding legal provisions); Grievance handling procedure.

Unit 5: Performance Appraisal (3 Weeks)

Performance appraisal system - nature and objectives; methods of performance appraisal - ranking, graphic rating scale, checklist, management by objectives, 360-degree appraisal; HRIS (Human Resources Information System) - concept, functioning and application of computerized HRIS.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to:

1. design a human resource plan.
2. conduct orientation cum induction programme.
3. hold mock counselling sessions.
4. design team building activities.
5. devise incentive plans for a diverse workforce.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Aswathappa, K., & Dash, S (2021). Human Resource Management-Text and cases, Ninth Edition, Tata McGraw-Hill.
- Chhabra, T. N., & Chhabra M. (2020). Essentials of Human Resource Management, Sun India Publications.
- Decenzo, D.A., & Robbins, S. P. (2009). Fundamental of Human Resource Management. New Jersey; Wiley.
- Dessler G, & Varrkey B. (2020). Human Resource Management, Sixteenth Edition By Pearson Paperback.
- Gupta, C. B. (2018). Human Resource Management. Delhi: Sultan Chand & Sons.
- Prasad, L. M. (2018). Human Resource Management, Delhi: Sultan Chand & Sons
- Rao, V. S. P. (2020). Human Resource Management. Delhi: Second edition, Taxmann.

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B.A. Programmes with Commerce (COMMERCIAL LAWS AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE) as non-Major or Minor discipline

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation BAC:DSC-1.1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL
Limited Liability Partnership: Law and Practice BAC: Discipline (CLCG)- 1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL

DISCIPLINE CORE: Limited Liability Partnership: Law and Practice (Major/ Minor)

Learning Objectives

The course aims to impart knowledge of provisions of law and corresponding rules related to Limited Liability Partnership. Case studies and problems involving issues in LLP are required to be discussed.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. explain the benefits available to partners in carrying out business in the LLP form of business
2. describe the process and effect of registration of LLP
3. explain the relationship of partners inter se and the relationship of partners with LLP
4. comprehend various provisions related to contribution and financial disclosures
5. enumerate the process of conversion of existing business entities into LLP

Unit 1: Nature of Limited Liability Partnership (3 Weeks)

Introduction to LLP, administrative mechanism, salient features, small LLP, the difference between LLP and partnership firm, the difference between LLP and company.

Unit 2: Incorporation of LLP (4 Weeks)

Incorporation by registration, incorporation document, LLP agreement, online registration of LLP, the effect of registration, name of LLP and change therein, rectification of name, registered office and change therein.

Unit 3: Partners, their relations and liabilities (3 Weeks)

Eligibility to be a partner, eligibility to be a designated partner, relationship of partners, cessation of the partnership interest, registration of changes in partners, extent of liability of LLP, extent of liability of partner, whistleblowing.

Unit 4: Contribution and Financial Disclosures (2 Weeks)

Form of contribution, obligation to contribute, maintenance of books of accounts, other records and audit, statement of accounts and solvency, and annual return.

Unit 5: Conversion into LLP, Winding up and Dissolution (3 Weeks)

Process of conversion of a firm, a private company, unlisted public company into LLP, winding up and dissolution, winding up by the tribunal

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to:

- 1) prepare a list of factors which make LLP a hybrid form of organization
- 2) (a) check availability of name using 'check LLP name service' on the MCA portal.
- 3) examine the FiLLiP web form from notification on the MCA portal and enlist the mandatory fields.
- 4) explore the significance of designated partner identification number (DPIN) and examine various fields in relevant forms.
- 5) enlist mandatory fields related to accounts and solvency from form 'Statement of Account and Solvency and Charge filing' accessed from notification on MCA portal
- 6) collect data related to conversion from latest monthly information bulletin available on MCA portal.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Jain, D. K., & Jain, I. (2021). Law & Procedure of Limited Liability Partnership. Bharat Law House Pvt Ltd.
- Kuchhal, M. C. (2018). Business Laws. New Delhi. Vikas Publishing House.
- Sharma, J. P., & Kanojia, S. (2019). Business Laws. New Delhi. Bharat Law House Pvt. Ltd.
- Singh, A. (2008). The Principles of Mercantile Law. Lucknow. Eastern Book Company.
- Tulsian, P. C., & Tulsian, B. (2017). Business Law. New Delhi. Tata McGraw Hill.

Suggestive Readings

- Maheshwari, S.K., & Maheshwari, S. N. (2014). Business Law. Himalaya Publication House-New Delhi.

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B.A. Programmes with Commerce (TAX PROCEDURES & PRACTICES) as non-Major or Minor discipline

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation BAC:DSC-1.1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL
Income Tax Law and Practice BAC: Discipline (TPP)- 1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL

DISCIPLINE CORE: INCOME TAX LAW AND PRACTICE (Major/ Minor)

Learning Objectives

This paper aims to provide comprehensive knowledge of various heads of income and focuses on the computation of the total income and tax liability of an individual as per the Income Tax Act 1961.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. explain the basic concepts, residential status of the assessee and incidence of tax.
2. develop an understanding of the nuances of the salaries, various allowances and perquisites available under the head income from Salaries.
3. develop an understanding of the concept of self-occupied and let out property under the head income from house property.
4. compute the income under the head profits and gains of business or profession and capital gains.
5. compute incomes covered under the head income from other sources.
6. explore the concept of including the income of other persons in the assessee's income.
7. compute the total tax liability of an individual after allowing for permissible deductions and exemptions.

Unit 1: Basic concepts and Residential Status (3 Weeks)

Basic concepts: person, assessee, income, previous year, assessment year and PAN; structure to compute tax liability; residential status and tax incidence.

Unit 2: Income under the head Salaries and House Property (6 Weeks)

Computation of income under the head salaries including various allowances and perquisites, computation of income of self-occupied and let out property; unrealised rent.

Unit 3: Income under the head Profits and Gains of Business or Profession (2.5 Weeks)

Computation of income from business or profession, expenses specified and disallowed while computing such incomes.

Unit 4: Income under the head of Capital Gains and Other Sources (1.5 Weeks)

Meaning of capital assets, long term and short term capital gains; computation of capital gains.

Computation of taxable income from other sources;

Unit 5: Computation of Total Income and Tax Liability of an Individual (2 Weeks)

Clubbing of income; set off and carry forward of losses, permissible deductions under section 80C to 80U; computation of taxable income and tax liability of an individual.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to:

1. identify and educate the individuals not having PAN Card and help them understand the crucial relevance of holding a PAN Card. Help them in filling out the online application for the PAN Card and prepare the summarised report for the same.
2. identify the relevance of various allowances and deductions in the present context and give a presentation for the same.
3. identify and evaluate the tax liability of some individuals having income under different heads of income and present a case of the deductions and exemptions availed by each assessee.
4. go through the e-filing website of the Government of India.

Essential/recommended readings

- Ahuja, G., & Gupta, R. (2022). Simplified Approach to Income Tax. Flair Publications Pvt. Ltd., Delhi.
- Mittal, N. (2019). Concept Building Approach to Income Tax Law & Practice. Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd., Delhi.
- Singhania, V. K., & Singhania, M. (2022). Student's Guide to Income Tax. Taxmann Publications Pvt. Ltd., Delhi.

Suggested Resources:

- Income tax Act 1961
- www.incometaxindia.gov.in

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B.A. Programmes with Commerce (MODERN OFFICE MANAGEMENT) as non-Major or Minor discipline

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Business Organisation BAC:DSC-1.1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL
Business Communication BAC: Discipline (MOM)- 1	4	3	1	0	PASS IN XII	NIL

DISCIPLINE CORE: Business Communication (Major/ Minor)

Learning Objectives

The course aims to prepare the Executive Secretary with proper knowledge of different types of communication and correspondence, presentation skill along with effective reports. This paper intends to acquaint the learners with communication theory and provide them ample exercise in communication through business correspondence.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. summarise the different concepts of Business Communication.
2. interpret the vocabulary to be used in business.
3. demonstrate the different types of Correspondence or letter writing skills.
4. describe the different approaches to report writing.
5. demonstrate the Business presentation.

Unit I: Introduction (4 Weeks)

Meaning, process, characteristics, objectives, importance, methods/types of communication: based on relationship (internal & external); based on expressions (verbal & Non-verbal) and the basis of flow (downward, upward, horizontal and diagonal/crosswise), Persuasive Communication, 7Cs of Communication, Barriers to Effective Communication and tips to overcome the barriers.

Unit II: Communication and Technology (2 Weeks)

Communication through modern technology – different apps, virtual and online video conferences - Google Meet, Zoom, Microsoft team etc., netiquettes.

Unit III: Modern Business Correspondence (4 Weeks)

Internal: Formal & Informal Correspondence -- Memorandum, Office Order, Circular, Meeting, Notice, Agenda & Minutes.External: Formal Correspondence- Routine letters

(enquiry, quotation, orders and acceptance, release of payment), Sales Letters (a proposal, promotional, follow-up, mailshots), Agency Letters (status enquiries, seeking finance), Problem letters (complaint, collection/dunning, concession). Personnel: Job Application letter, Preparing the Resume, CV and Portfolio. E-Correspondence: Emails, Blogs, Chat Rooms, Discussion Forums, Social Networking, Online news releases, and Company newsletters.

Unit IV: Report Writing (3 Weeks)

Meaning, Types of Business Reports, characteristics, importance, the structure of a report, Organization of Report –Long reports & Short reports (letter form, memorandum form, minutes form).

Unit V: Oral/Visual Presentation (2 Weeks)

Importance, Characteristics, Presentation Plan, Visual Presentation – diagram/flowchart.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to:

- 1) Practice learning the use of different types of communications conducting their class meetings online/offline.
- 2) Learn the different rules of vocabulary to be used in Business Communication.
- 3) Practice making the drafts of all types of letters for correspondence including agenda, minutes etc.
- 4) Prepare at least one report as per your choice relating to any business/college event.
- 5) Present diagram/piktochart/flowchart on any relevant topic of this paper in the class.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Bhatia, R.C.(2018). Business Communication, New Delhi: Anne Books Pvt. Ltd.
- Gupta, C.B. (2019) Essential Business Communication, New Delhi: Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.
- Khanna, P. (2016). English Communication New Delhi: Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.
- Lehman, C. M., D. D., & Sinha., M. (n.d.). Business Communication. Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.
- R. P., & Korlahalli, J. S. (2008). Essentials of Business Communication. New Delhi: Sultan Chand & Sons.
- Taylor, S., & Chandra, V. (2005). Communication for Business. New Delhi: Pearson Education Ltd.

Suggestive Readings:

<https://www.youtube.com/embed/6IIh9trXgyQ> (Source: epg pathshala)

<https://www.youtube.com/embed/t-DzqqIaiM8> (Source: epg pathshala)

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COMMON POOL OF GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE) COURSES

GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-1): BUSINESS ORGANISATION

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course	Department offering the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice			
Business Organisation BCH: GE-1.1	4	3	1	0	Pass in XII	NIL	Commerce

Learning Objectives

The course aims to familiarize the students with the forms of business organisation and contemporary issues.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. examine the dynamics of the most suitable form of business organisation in different situations.
2. evaluate the various elements affecting the business environment.
3. analyse business models for different organisations.
4. record and report emerging issues and challenges of business organisations.
5. evaluate changes in the working pattern of modern organisations

SYLLABUS OF GE-1

Unit 1: Introduction (3 Weeks)

Business – Concept, nature and scope, business as a system, business objectives, business and environment interface, distinction between business, commerce and trade, Business ethics, social responsibilities of Business

Unit 2: Business Enterprises (3 Weeks)

Forms of Business Organisation: Sole Proprietorship, Partnership firm, Joint Stock Company, One Person Company, Cooperative society; Limited Liability Partnership; Multinational Corporations; Choice of Form of Organisation; Business Combination: Need and Objectives, Forms: Mergers, Takeovers and Acquisitions.

Unit 3: Business Environment (3 Weeks)

Meaning and significance of Business environment, Internal and external environment, Dimensions of Business Environment; Uncertainty and business; Environmental Analysis and Diagnosis, Environment scanning techniques: SWOT and ETOP.

Unit 4: Entrepreneurship: Founding the Business (3 Weeks)

Entrepreneur-Entrepreneurship-Enterprise; entrepreneurial ideas and opportunities in the contemporary business environment; Process of entrepreneurship; Forms of entrepreneurship; Skill India, Start-up India, Make in India, Globalisation.

Unit 5: Contemporary Issues of Business Organisations (3 Weeks)

Emerging Issues and Challenges; Innovation in Organisational Design; Learning Organisations, Workforce Diversity, Franchising, Outsourcing, and E-commerce; Government and business interface; Sustainability; Digitalisation and Technological innovations.

Practical Exercise

The learners are required to

1. complete the exercise wherein they are given different situations and scenarios to start their own business (in terms of capital, liability, the scale of operations, etc.) and are asked to select the most suitable form of business and justify the same highlighting the advantages and disadvantages of their choice.
2. identify various elements affecting the business environment and conduct a SWOT analysis for the company identified.
3. visit different enterprises and present a report on business models followed by them through a comparative analysis.
4. record and report their observations regarding the emerging issues and challenges of business organisations.
5. identify changes in the working pattern of modern organisations.

Essential/ Recommended Readings:

- Basu, C. (2017). Business Organisation and Management. McGraw Hill Education.
- Chhabra, T. N. (2019). Business Organisation and Management. Sun India Publications. New Delhi.
- Drucker, P. F. (1954). The Practice of Management. Newyork: Harper & Row.
- Kaul, V. K. (2012). Business Organisation Management. Pearson Education.
- Koontz, H., & Weihrich, H. (2012). Essentials of Management: An International and Leadership Perspective. Paperback.
- Singh, B. P., & Singh, A. K. (2002) Essentials of Management. New Delhi. Excel Books Pvt. Ltd.
- Vasishth, N., & Rajput N. (2019)., Business Organisation & Management. Kitab Mahal. Delhi.

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GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-2: FINANCE FOR EVERYONE)

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Finance for Everyone BCH: GE- 1.2	4	2	1	1	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

The course aims to offer an integrated approach to the understanding of concepts and applications of financial planning.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. explain the importance of financial literacy and the institutions providing financial services.
2. prepare a financial plan, and budget and manage personal finances.
3. avail and manage services offered by banks.
4. avail and manage services offered by post offices.
5. plan for life insurance and property insurance.
6. choose instruments for investment in shares.

SYLLABUS OF GE-2

Unit 1: Introduction, Financial Planning and Budgeting (3 Weeks)

Meaning, importance and scope of financial literacy; Prerequisites of financial literacy – level of education, numerical and communication ability; Various financial institutions – banks, insurance companies, post offices, mobile app-based services. Need of availing of financial services from banks, insurance companies and postal services. Concept of economic wants and means for satisfying these needs; Balancing between economic wants and resources; Meaning, importance and need for financial planning; Personal budget, family budget, business budget and national budget; Procedure for financial planning and preparing a budget; Budget surplus and budget deficit, Avenues for savings from surplus, Sources for meeting the deficit.

Unit 2: Banking Services (3 Weeks)

Types of banks; Banking products and services – Various services offered by banks; Types of bank deposit accounts – savings bank account, term deposit, current account, recurring deposit; pan card, address proof, KYC norm; Various types of loans – education loan,

consumer durable loan, vehicle loan, housing loan, short term, medium term, long term, microfinance, bank overdraft, cash credit, mortgage, reverse mortgage, hypothecation, pledge, Agricultural and related interest rates offered by various nationalized banks; Cashless banking, e-banking, check counterfeit currency; CIBIL, ATM, net banking, RTGS, NEFT, IMPS, electronic clearance services (ECS), debit and credit card, app-based payment system, bank draft and pay order; banking complaints and ombudsman.

Unit 3: Financial Services from India Post Office (2 Weeks)

Post office savings schemes: savings bank, recurring deposit, term deposit, monthly income scheme, kisan vikas patra, NSC, PPF, senior citizen savings scheme , sukanya samriddhi yojana ; India post payments bank. money transfer: money order, e-money order. instant money order, collaboration with the western union financial services; mo videsh, international money transfer service, money gram international money transfer, Indian postal order.

Unit 4: Insurance Services (3 Weeks)

Life insurance policies: life insurance, term life insurance, endowment policies, pension policies, ULIP, health insurance plans, comparison of policies offered by various life insurance companies, comparison of policies offered by various health insurance companies. Property insurance policies. Post office life insurance schemes: postal life insurance and rural postal life insurance.

Unit 5: Stock Markets – Some Basic Concepts (4 Weeks)

Terms used in stock markets: SENSEX, NIFTY, primary markets, secondary markets, initial public offering(IPO), follow-on public offering (FPO), offer for sale (OFS), block deal, equity shares, preference shares, debentures, bonus shares, stock split, dividend, buyback, DEMAT account, trading account, delivery instruction slip (DI Slips), blue chips, defensive stocks, face value, market value, market capitalisation, pre-opening session, trading session, opening price, closing price, business days, bull, bear, bull market, bear market, risk, stop loss, derivatives, call option, put option, hedge, holding period; Tax on short term capital gains and long-term capital gains, Mutual Fund and its various schemes.

Practical Exercise

The learners are required to

1. visit banks, post offices, and insurance companies to collect information and required documents related to the services offered by these institutions and to know the procedure for availing of these services.
2. carry out the comparative analysis of different types of life insurance policies.
3. carry out the comparative analysis of different types of health insurance policies.
4. prepare a personal and family budget for one/six/ twelve months on imaginary figures.

Essential/ Recommended Readings:

- Avadhani, V. A. (2022). Investment Management. Himalaya Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai.
- Batra, J. K. (2018). Accounting and Finance for Non-finance Managers, Sage Textbook
- Bhattacharya. (2021). Indian Financial System.Oxford University Press.
- Chandra, P. (2018). Investment Game: How to Win. Tata McGraw Hill Education, New Delhi.

- Kothari, R. (2010). Financial Services in India-Concept and Application. Sage Publications India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
- Milling, B. E. (2001). The Basics of Finance: Financial Tools for Non-Financial Managers. Universe Company, Indiana.
- Mitra, S., Rai, S. K., Sahu, A. P., & Starn, H. J. (2020). Financial Planning. Sage Publications India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
- Sofat, R., & Hiro, P. (3rd Edition). (2016). Basic Accounting. PHI learning
- Zokaityte, A. (2017). Financial Literacy Education. Palgrave Macmillan, London.

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Assessment Method:

1. There shall be 2 credit hours for lectures.
2. Theory exam shall carry 100 marks (including Internal Assessment of 25 Marks). The theory exam will be for 3 hours.

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GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-3) Marketing for Beginners

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Marketing for Beginners BCH: GE-1.3	4	3	1	0	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

The structure of this course is to provide a basic understanding of concepts, principles, tools and techniques of marketing and to provide knowledge about various developments in the marketing scenario in India.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. evaluate the companies following societal marketing concepts and along with their social initiatives.
2. judge the segmentation of a product, service, event, or organisation of companies.
3. analyse the process of value creation through marketing decisions involving product, pricing and distribution.
4. compare the pricing strategies of various companies.
5. explain marketing decisions involving product promotion and acquire knowledge about the various developments in the marketing area.

SYLLABUS OF GE-3

Unit 1: Introduction to Marketing and Marketing Environment (3 Weeks)

Introduction to Marketing: Concept, Scope and Importance; Marketing Philosophies; Marketing Mix for goods and services.

Marketing Environment: Need for studying marketing environment; Micro environment- company, suppliers, marketing intermediaries, customers, competitors, publics; Macro environment- demographic, economic, natural technological, politico-legal and socio-cultural factors.

Unit 2: Consumer Behaviour and Marketing Strategies (3 Weeks)

Consumer Behaviour: Need for studying consumer Behaviour; Stages in consumer buying decision process, Factors influencing consumer's buying decisions.

Marketing Strategies: Market segmentation-concept and bases of segmenting consumer markets; Market Targeting; Product Positioning- concept and bases.

Unit 3: Product Decisions (2 Weeks)

Concept and classification; Product mix; Branding; Packaging; Labeling; Product support services; Product life cycle concept and marketing strategies.

Unit 4: Pricing Decisions and Distribution Decisions (3 Weeks)

Pricing Decisions: Objectives; Factors affecting the price of a product; Pricing strategies for new products- penetration pricing and skimming pricing.

Distribution Decisions: Channels of Distribution: types and functions; Wholesaling and retailing; factors affecting the channels of distribution; Logistics Decisions.

Unit 5: Promotion Decisions and Developments in Marketing (4 Weeks)

Promotion Decisions: Communication process; Importance of promotion; Promotion tools: advertising, personal selling, sales promotion, public relations, publicity and direct marketing

Developments in Marketing: Sustainable Marketing; Rural marketing; Social marketing; Digital marketing – an overview.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to

1. select the examples of companies who are following societal marketing concepts and discuss their social initiatives.
2. suggest the suitable bases for segmentation of a product, service, event, or organisation of your choice.
3. list out the companies whose product has reached the maturity stage and explain the marketing strategies adopted by them.
4. identify the companies following skimming and penetration pricing policy.
5. analyse the rural marketing strategies of a business organisation.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Baines, P. et al. (2021). Fundamentals of Marketing. Oxford University Press.
- Etzel, M. J., Walker, B. J., Stanton, W. J., & Pandit, A. (2010). Marketing. Mc Graw Hill.
- Kapoor, N. (2022). Principles of Marketing, 2nd ed. PHI learning
- Kotler, P., Armstrong, G., & Agnihotri, P. (2018). Principles of Marketing. Pearson Education. Indian edition.
- Kotler, P., Chernev, A., & Keller, K. L. (2022). Marketing Management. United Kingdom: Pearson Education.
- Levy, M., & Grewal, D. (2022). Marketing. United States: McGraw-Hill Education.
- Masterson, R. (2022), Marketing, 5ed., Sage Textbook
- Ramaswamy, N. (2018), Marketing Management, Sage Textbook
- Sharma, K. & Aggarwal S. (2021). Principles of Marketing. Taxmann Publications.

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GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE- 4) Accounting for Everyone

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Accounting for Everyone BCH: GE-1.3	4	2	1	1	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

Objective: The course aims to help learners coming from non-commerce backgrounds acquire basic knowledge of financial accounting and to impart preliminary skills for recording various kinds of financial transactions and preparing financial statements.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. Analyze various terms used in accounting;
2. Make accounting entries and prepare cash books and other accounts necessary while running a business;
3. Prepare profit and loss account and balance sheet;
4. Prepare accounts based on accounting software;
5. Analyze information from the company's annual report.

SYLLABUS OF GE-4

Unit 1: Introduction to Accounting and Accounting Principles (3 Weeks)

Accounting - Meaning, Importance, Need, objectives, advantages and limitations. Accounting as an information system, user of accounting information, sources of accounting information.

Some Basic Accounting Terms –Transactions, Accounts, Assets, Liabilities, Capital, Drawings, Expenditure and Expense, Income, Revenue, Gain, Profit, Surplus, Loss, Deficit.

Accounting Principles Basis of Accounting – Cash, Accrual and Hybrid. Difference between Double Entry system and Single entry system (accounting for incomplete records).

Unit 2: Recording of transactions (3 Weeks)

Identification of transactions and events for recording, Classifications of accounts (Traditional): Personal Account, Real Account and Nominal Account, Classifications of accounts (Modern): Assets, Liabilities, Capital, Income and expenses. Accounting Equation, Rules of debit and credit. Basis of recording – vouchers, Journalising the transactions.

Unit 3: Preparation of Accounts and Depreciation Accounting (3 Weeks)

Preparation of Ledger, Cash Book including bank transactions and depreciation accounting: concept, features, causes, methods (SLM and WDV), charging to assets account.

Unit 4: Preparation of Financial Statement (3 Weeks)

Trial Balance; Concept of Revenue and Capital expenditure; Preparation of Trading and Profit & Loss Account and Balance Sheet for a sole proprietor with basic adjustments.

Unit 5: Accounts from Incomplete Records (3 Weeks)

Meaning, features, reasons and limitations of accounting from incomplete records. Determining profit and loss using the Statement of affairs method.

Practical Exercises:

1. Download annual reports of business Organisations from the websites and go through the contents of the annual report and present the salient features of the annual report using some ratios and content analysis including textual analysis.
2. Prepare a bank reconciliation statement from the individual passbooks.
3. Prepare Trading and Profit & Loss Account, Balance Sheet, and Cash Flow Statement collecting necessary data from small business firms.
4. Prepare financial statements using appropriate software.

Suggestive Readings:

- Batra, J. K. (2018). Accounting and Finance for Non-finance Managers, Sage Textbook
- Bhupinder, Lt. (2020). Principles of Financial Accounting, Cengage.
- Goyal, B. K., & Tiwari, H. N. (2021). Financial Accounting. Taxmann Publication, New Delhi.
- Gupta, R. L., & Radhaswamy, M. (2014). Financial Accounting. S. Chand Publishing, New Delhi.
- Hatfield, L. (2019) Accounting Basics. Amazon Digital Services LLC.
- Horngren, C. T., Sundem, G. L., Elliott, J. A., & Philbrick, D. (2017). Introduction to Financial Accounting. Pearson Education, London
- Kumar, A. (2018) Financial Accounting, Singhal Publication
- Lal, J., & Srivastava, S. (2017). Financial Accounting Text & Problems. Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
- Maheshwari, S. N., Maheshwari, S. K., & Maheshwari, S. K. (2018). Financial Accounting. Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd, New Delhi
- Monga, J. R. (2020). Financial Accounting: Concepts and Applications. Mayur Paperback , New Delhi
- Mukharji, A., & Hanif, M. (2010). Financial Accounting. Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Co. Ltd, New Delhi
- Mukherjee, S., & Mukherjee, A. K. (2017). Financial Accounting Oxford University Press, USA
- Sah, R. K. (2020). Concept building approach to financial accounting, Cengage
- Sehgal, D. (2016). Financial Accounting. Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd, New Delhi.
- Siddiqui, S. A. (2008). Book Keeping & Accountancy. Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd, New Delhi.
- Sofat, R., & Hiro, P. (2016). Basic Accounting, 3rd ed. PHI learning
- Tulsian, P. C. (2020). Financial Accounting. Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Co. Ltd, New Delhi.

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Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

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		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Computer Applications in Business BCH: GE-1.5	4	1	0	3	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

This paper aims to impart computer knowledge that will enable them the ability to handle and analyse data for decision making and present it to the person concerned in the form of presentations and/or reports in the fast-moving business world.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. describe the various concepts and terminologies used in computing, computer networks and the internet.
2. examine document creation for report making and communication.
3. identify and make good presentations.
4. analyse various computations using various functions in the area of accounting and finance and represent the business data using suitable charts. s/he should also be able to manipulate and analyse the business data for a better understanding of the business environment and decision-making.
5. identify the spreadsheet knowledge acquired through this paper in solving real-life problems that help in decision making.

Unit 1: Introduction (4 Weeks)

Computing: Concept of computing, Data and information; Computing Interfaces: Graphical User Interface (GUI), Command Line Interface(CLI), Touch Interface, Natural Language Interface(NLI); data processing; applications of computers in business.

Computer Networks: Meaning of computer network; objectives/ needs for networking; Applications of networking; Basic Network Terminology; Types of Networks; Network Topologies; Distributed Computing: Client Server Computing, Peer-to-peer Computing; Wireless Networking; Securing Networks: firewall.

Basic Internet Terminology: I.P. Address, Modem, Bandwidth, Routers, Gateways, Internet Service Provider (ISP), World Wide Web (www), Browsers, Search Engines, Proxy Server, Intranet and Extranet; Basic Internet Services; Internet Protocols: TCP/IP, FTP, HTTP(s), Uses of the Internet to Society; Cyber Security: Cryptography, digital signature.

Unit 2: Word Processing (3 Weeks)

Introduction to word Processing, Word processing concepts, Use of Templates and styles, Working with word documents: Editing text, Find and replace text, Formatting, spell check,

Autocorrect, Auto-text; Bullets and numbering, Tabs, Paragraph Formatting, Indent, Page Formatting, Header and footer, page break, table of contents, Tables: Inserting, filling and formatting a table; Inserting Pictures and Video; Mail Merge (including linking with spreadsheet files as data source); Printing documents; Citations, references and Footnotes.

Unit 3: Preparing Presentations (2 Weeks)

Basics of presentations: Slides, Fonts, Drawing, Editing; Inserting: Tables, Images, texts, Symbols, hyperlinking, Media; Design; Transition; Animation; and Slideshow, exporting presentations as pdf handouts and videos.

Unit 4: Spreadsheet basics (2 Weeks)

Spreadsheet concepts, Managing worksheets; Formatting, conditional formatting, Entering data, Editing, and Printing and Protecting worksheets; Handling operators in the formula, Projects involving multiple spreadsheets, Organizing Charts and graphs; Flash-fill; Working with Multiple worksheets; controlling worksheet views, naming cells and cell ranges.

Spreadsheet functions: Mathematical, Statistical, Financial, Logical, Date and Time, Lookup and reference, Text functions and Error functions.

Working with Data: Sort and filter; Consolidate; Tables; Pivot tables; What-if-analysis: Goal seek, Data tables and Scenario manager.

Unit 5: Spreadsheet projects (4 Weeks)

Creating business spreadsheet: Loan repayment scheduling; forecasting: stock prices, costs & revenues; Payroll statements; handling annuities and unequal cash flows; Frequency distribution and its statistical parameters and break-even analysis.

Note:

1. The General Purpose Software referred in this course will be notified by the University Departments every three years. If the specific features, referred to in the detailed course above, are not available in that software, to that extent it will be deemed to have been modified.
2. There shall be a practical examination of 50 Marks (2 hours duration), a theory exam of 25 marks (1 hour duration) and an Internal Assessment of 25 marks (Class Test-10 Marks, WorkBook- 10 Marks and attendance- 5 marks).
3. There shall be 1 lecture period per class and 6 Practical Lab periods per batch to be taught in the Computer Laboratory.

Practical Exercises

The learners are required to do the practical exercises which include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Analyze and compare the different mobile payment apps (at least 5) on the basis of their pros and cons and prepare a report on the same in word document using a table of contents, bullets, numbering, citations, etc. Also prepare a presentation for the same.
2. Using mail merge utility of word processing for either sending letters or for creating any other document like salary slip/ utility bills to be delivered to multiple recipients using data from a business organization or of the peer students.

3. Identify a topic related to any business operation and prepare a PowerPoint Presentation with all the above functions therein.
4. Prepare a Spreadsheet document with any hypothesized data and perform all the above functions therein.
5. By taking secondary data from a company's income statement and balance sheet for five to ten years, all the learners are required to conduct the Ratio Analysis and forecast values for different items of these statements for the next five to ten years.
6. Using logical, mathematical and statistical functions of the spreadsheet, the learners should be able to analyse the results of the class test using hypothesized data to determine the students who passed or failed, assigning them ranks like first, second, third, etc., finding out a number of absentees, counting no. of students scoring marks with distinction, etc.
7. The learners should be able to prepare repayment schedules of the loans that they borrow, prepare a payroll statement using spreadsheet functions listed above and analyse different investment opportunities using financial functions.
8. By taking live data from the website of the Government of India, use a Spreadsheet for preparing frequency distribution, and graphs, and calculate statistical measures like mean, median, mode, standard deviation, Correlation etc.

Essential/ Recommended Readings

- Jain, H. C., & Tiwari, H. N. (2021). Computer Applications in Business. Taxmann, Delhi.
- Joseph, P. T., S. J. (2015). E-Commerce: An Indian Perspective, 6th ed. PHI Learning
- Mathur, S., & Jain, P. (2016). Computer Applications in Business. Galgotia Publishing Company
- Madan, S. (2020). Computer Applications in Business. Scholar Tech Press, Delhi.
- Sharma, S. K., & Bansal, M. (2017). Computer Applications in Business. Taxmann, Delhi.
- Thareja, R. (2019). Fundamentals of Computers. Oxford University Press.
- Thareja, R. (2018). IT & It's Business Application. Oxford University Press.
- Walkenbach, J. (2016). MS Excel. Bible. John Wiley & Sons, USA.
- Winston, W. L. (2013). MS Excel. Data Analysis & Business Modeling. Microsoft Press, USA.

Suggestive Readings:

- Benninga, S. (2022). Financial Modeling. The MIT Press, USA.

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GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE- 6) Bhartiya Gyan Parampara (Indian Knowledge System)

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Bhartiya Gyan Parampara (Indian Knowledge System) BCH: GE-1.6	4	3	1	0	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

The course aims to familiarize the students with the astonishing breadth and depth of the Indian scientific and knowledge tradition.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. apportion the experience of the Gurukul system of education Indian culture
2. explain the concept of oneness (Ekatma Bhav).
3. use meditation on Panchkoshas and Chakras for enhancing productivity.
4. apply the management principles from the epics and compare them with the policies and schemes of the Government of India.

Unit 1: Bhartiya Gyan Parampara (Indian Knowledge System) – An Overview (4 Weeks)

Importance of Ancient Knowledge; Defining Indian Knowledge System; The Indian Knowledge System Corpus- A Classification Framework; Some unique aspects of Indian Knowledge System: Nuances of an Oral Tradition. History of Traditional Indian Trade and commerce: Silk, cotton, sugar, spices etc., silk route. Traditional mercantile system

Unit 2: Knowledge: Framework and Classification (4 Weeks)

Tarka: The Indian Art of Debate- The Knowledge Triangle; Prameya – A Vaisesikan Approach to Physical Reality- Dravyas, Attributes, Action; Vaisesikan Worldview of ‘Existence’; Pramana; Samasya; Framework for establishing Valid Knowledge – Deductive/ Inductive Logic Framework, Potential Fallacies in the Reasoning Process, Established Tenets in a Field of Study. Knowledge management; Types of knowledge management , Knowledge barriers, Knowledge Retention

Unit 3: Health, Wellness and Psychology (4 Weeks)

Impact of Yoga Way of life on Emotional Intelligence of Managers; Ayurveda- Definition of Health; Tri- dosas – Relationship to Health; The Body- Mind- Intellect- Consciousness Complex; Consciousness- The True Nature of an Individual; Five layered Consciousness of an Individual (Panchkoshas); Chakra System (Energy centres). Consciousness: Management by consciousness, Levels of Individual and Organizational consciousness, Self-consciousness, beyond self-consciousness.

Unit 4: Governance and Public Administration (3 Weeks)

Ramayana on Great Attributes, Dos, and Don'ts of a King; Arthasastra- Governance and Administration; Relevance of Arthasastra; Kautilyan State; Vidura- niti – Advice to a King- The Amatya, Settlements and Land Use (Janapada), Fortified Capital city (Durga), Treasury and State Economy (Kosa), Law & Order and Security (Danda), Foreign Policy and Allies (Mitra); Public Administration- Perspectives from the Epics. Indigenous banking system: Methods of the Indigenous banking system; Promissory note, Dastavez, Rahan, Functions of the indigenous banking system; Advancing loans, discounting Hundis; Type of Hundi, Darshni Hundi, Muddati Hundi.

Practical Exercises:

1. visit a Gurukul/ Ashram and have your own experience (anubhooti) of the Indian ancient knowledge system.
2. muktchintan (brainstorming) on topics life worldview of existence.
3. practise of meditation on Panchkoshas and Chakras.
4. muktchintan (brainstorming) on the perspectives from the epics and the real-life scenario of their applicability in the policies and schemes of the Government of India like Foreign policy, Defence policy, Innovation and Start-up Policy, Global Initiatives like One Sun One World One Grid: India's Initiative; Vaccine Diplomacy, International Yoga Day.

Essential/ Recommended readings

- Aurobindo, S. (2021). The Foundations of Indian Culture. India: Sri Aurobindo Ashram.
- Dharampal. (1995). The Beautiful Tree: Indigenous Indian Education in the Eighteenth Century. Rashtrottana Sahitya. ISBN-10:8175310952
- Indian Knowledge Systems. (2005). India: Indian Institute of Advanced Study.
- Mahadevan, B., Bhat, V. R., & Pavana, N. (2022) Introduction to Indian Knowledge System Concepts and Applications. PHI Learning
- Parthasarathy, S. (2014). Vedanta for Modern World. Sri Siim Research Press.
- Pe, D. (2005). Hidden dangers of meditation and yoga. Payal Books
- Simpson, A. (2019). Leadership Lessons from the Bhagavad Gita. India: SAGE Publications.
- The Arthashastra. (2000). India: Penguin Books Limited.

- Vivekananda, S. (2021). Patanjali Yoga Sutra. Srishti Publishers & Distributors. ISBN-10:9390441137

Suggestive Readings

- <https://iksindia.org/index.php>
- <https://indianculture.gov.in/indian-culture-repository>
- <https://vedicheritage.gov.in/>
- <https://www.rarebooksocietyofindia.org/>
- <https://management.cessedu.org/>
- <https://indica.in/>
- <https://www.bhratiyakritisampada.nic.in>
- Attree, A. K., Kumar, V., and Singh, A. K. (2020) Developing and validating the individual and organisational consciousness scale, International Journal of Work Organisation and Emotion, Vol. 11, No. 2, 154-177

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GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE- 6) Basic Personal Taxation

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Basic Personal Taxation BCH: GE-1.7	4	3	1	0	Pass in XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

To provide basic knowledge and equip students with the application of principles and provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1961 applicable to individuals and the relevant Rules; and to enable the students to apply them to real-world situations.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

1. analyse the basic concepts of income tax and determine the residential status of different persons;
2. compute income under the heads 'salaries' and 'income from house property';
3. compute income under the heads 'Profits and gains of business or profession' and 'capital gains';
4. compute income under the head 'income from other sources' and understand the provisions relating to income of other persons included in assessee's total income; and
5. analyse various deductions and computation of total income and tax liability of individuals.

Unit 1: Introduction (3 Weeks)

Origin of Tax System in India; Taxation – Voluntary practice to the involuntary system, Kautilya's philosophy of Taxation.

Basic concepts: Income, agricultural income, person, assessee, assessment year, previous year, gross total income, total income, the maximum marginal rate of tax; Permanent Account Number (PAN). Residential status (only individual); Scope of total income on basis of residential status.

Unit 2: Computation of Income – 1 (4 Weeks)

Income from Salaries: Meaning, the basis of charge, different forms, allowances, perquisites.

Income from house property: Basis of charge, computing income from letting out, self-occupied and partly let out and partly self-occupied, provisions related to unrealised rent, taxation of arrears of rent. Deductions from Annual Value (Sec 24).

Unit 3: Computation of Income – 2 (4 Weeks)

Profits and gains of business or profession: Basis of charge, computing business or profession income, the relevance of method of accounting, scheme of deductions and allowances, specific deductions under the act, specific disallowances under the act.

Unit 4: Computation of Income -3 (4 Weeks)

Capital gains: Basis of charge, capital asset, transfer of a capital asset, consideration, cost of acquisition, cost of improvement, indexation, computation of capital gains.

Income from other sources: Basis of charge, the relevance of method of accounting, dividend, interest on securities, winnings from lotteries, crossword puzzle, horse race, and card games and their taxation.

Practical Exercises:

The learners are required to:

1. discuss selected provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1961 from the official website of the Government of India;
2. refer to the Finance Act to learn about the amendments done in various provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1961;
3. refer relevant notifications and circulars from the official website of Government of India;
4. use tax calculators available on the official website of Government of India; and
5. explore and attempt online filing of Returns of Income & TDS on the Income tax e-filing website under ITR-1 and ITR-2.

Essential/ Recommended Readings:

- Ahuja, G., & Gupta, R. (2022). Systematic Approach to Income Tax. Commercial Law House, Delhi.
- Lal, B. B. (2011). Income Tax Law and Practice. Konark Publications, New Delhi.
- Pagare, D. (2021). Law and Practice of Income Tax. Sultan Chand and Sons, New Delhi.
- Singhanian, V. K., & Singhanian, M. (2021). Students' Guide to Income Tax. University Edition. Taxmann Publications Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.

Suggestive Readings

- Current Tax Reporter. Current Tax Reporter, Jodhpur.
- Income Tax Reports. Company Law Institute of India Pvt. Ltd., Chennai.
- Taxman. Taxman Allied Services Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.

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Assessment

Total Marks: 100

Internal Assessment: 25 Marks

End Semester University Exam: 75 Marks

The Internal Assessment for the course may include Class participation, Assignments, Class tests, Projects, Field Work and Presentations, amongst others as decided by the

faculty.

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