

# VINOBA BHAVE UNIVERSITY, HAZARIBAG

In pursuance of Memo No.-VBU/NEP/02/2022/R/2402/23 dated 08.09.2023 of Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribag a meeting of Deans of faculties was held in V.C.'s Conference Hall at 01:00 PM on 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 under the Chairmanship of Dr R.K. Dwivedi to discuss the implementation of 'Revised Curriculum and Credit Framework for the Four Year Undergraduate Programmes (FYUGP)' under NEP-2022 notified by Higher and Technical Department of the Government of Jharkhand vide its Letter No.01/ वि 1-63/2021 -223 dated 31.01.2023.

The following members were present in the meeting:

1. Dr. R. K. Dwivedi, Dean, Faculty of Science, VBU, Hazaribag	: Chairman	<i>Chairman 09-09-2023</i>
2. Dr. P. C. Deogharia, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, VBU, Hazaribag	: Member	<i>P. C. Deogharia 09-09-2023</i>
3. Dr. Mokhtar Alam, Dean, Faculty of Commerce, VBU, Hazaribag	: Member	<i>M. Alam 09-09-2023</i>
4. Dr. Indrajit Kumar, Nodal Officer, NEP-2020, VBU, Hazaribag	: Member	<i>Indrajit Kumar 09-09-2023</i>
5. Dr. Kaushlendra Kumar, Registrar, VBU, Hazaribag	: Member Secretary	<i>Kaushlendra Kumar 09-09-2023</i>

It was resolved in the meeting that

1. The 'Revised Curriculum and Credit Framework for the Four Year Undergraduate Programmes (FYUGP)' under NEP-2022 will be implemented in Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribag from the Academic Year 2023-24 with some amendments as per requirements of the University.
2. **Major Subject:** The students will have to select one major/honours subject which will be studied from semesters I to VIII. It will comprise 20 papers of 4 credits each. In semester VIII, there will be 3 Advanced Major Papers of 4 credits each or a Research Course of 12 credits.
3. **AEC:** The students of Humanities and Social Sciences stream will study Hindi Communication Skill of 2 credits as AEC (Ability Enhancement Course) in first semester while the students of Natural & Physical Sciences, Mathematics, Statistics & Computer Applications and Commerce & Management will study English Communication Skill of 2 credits as AEC (Ability Enhancement Course) in first semester. In the second semester, the selection of AEC will be reversed.
4. **AEC: In semesters III and IV, students will have to study one paper of 2 credits each of any one language subject as AEC- Hindi, English, Urdu, Khortha, Santhali or Kudmali.**
5. **Minor:** Students of all the streams will have to select one Minor subject of their choice which will support the Major Subject. The selection of the minor subject will be as per the subject mapping of the University. The minor subject will be of four papers of 4 credits each which will be studied one each in Semesters I, III, V and VII.

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xv.	Psychology
xvi.	Sociology
xvii.	Mathematics
xviii.	Statistics

6. **MDC:** Students of all the streams will have to select three different subjects of their choice of 3 credits each from a pool of courses as Multidisciplinary Course (MDC) which will be studied one each in Semesters I, II and III. The MDC selected by a student should not be related to Major and Minor subjects opted by him.

Ser. No.	List of Multidisciplinary Courses which can be opted in Semesters I, II and III	No. of credits
1.	Botany	3
2.	Chemistry	3
3.	Geology	3
4.	Mathematics	3
5.	Physics	3
6.	Zoology	3
7.	Hindi	3
8.	English	3
9.	Urdu	3
10.	Sanskrit	3
11.	Persian	3
12.	TRL: Tribal Developments in India	3
13.	TRL: Tribal Movements in India	3
14.	TRL: Tribes and Forests	3
15.	Philosophy	3
16.	Anthropology	3
17.	Economics	3
18.	Geography	3
19.	Home Science	3
20.	History	3
21.	Political Science	3
22.	Sociology	3
23.	Labour and Social Welfare	3
24.	Psychology	3
25.	Commerce-Income Tax	3
26.	Commerce-E-Commerce	3
27.	Commerce- Goods and Services Tax	3
28.	Performing Arts: Light Vocal	3
29.	Performing Arts: Hindustani Classical (Vocal)	3
30.	Performing Arts: Dance	3

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7. **SEC:** The Skill Enhancement Courses are aimed to impart practical skills, hands-on training, soft skills, etc. to enhance the employability of students. These will be

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studied by the students of all the streams. The students will have to opt one skill enhancement course of 3 credits each in semester I, II and III from the pool of courses provided by the institution.

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Ser. No.	List of Skill enhancement Courses which can be opted in Semesters I, II and III	No. of Credits
1.	Entrepreneurship	3
2.	Cyber defense	3
3.	Information Technology	3
4.	Digital Education	3
5.	Mushroom Culture & Technology	3
6.	Food Science & Technology	3
7.	Biofertilizers & Organic Farming	3
8.	Digital Marketing	3
9.	Mathematical & Computational Thinking and Analysis	3
10.	Amanat	3
11.	Sustainable Development	3
12.	Disaster Management	3
13.	Geoinformatics	3
14.	Financial Literacy	3
15.	Stock Market Operations	3
16.	Guidance and Counselling	3
17.	Gemmology and gem testing	3
18.	Food processing and Bakery	3
19.	Personality Development	3

8. **VAC: In semester -I**, students of all the streams will have to select two papers of 2 credits each from the followings:

- Understanding India
- Health & wellness, Yoga education and Sports and Fitness
- Global Citizenship Education and Education for Sustainable Development
- Community Engagement & Services

**In semester - IV**, a Compulsory Paper – ‘Environmental Studies’ of 2 credits has been introduced for the students of all the streams in order to create a mass awareness towards the protection of environment.

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R. Chawla (Signature)