

**ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ADMISSION TO MASTER PROGRAMME
YEAR – 2023-2025**

**SCHOOL OF LIBERAL STUDIES
CONSTITUENT SCHOOL OF**

PANDIT DEENDAYAL ENERGY UNIVERSITY (PDEU)

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ADMISSION RULES FOR POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES AT SCHOOL OF LIBERAL STUDIES(SLS)

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At School of Liberal Studies you can explore ideas that interest you. Our post graduate courses will give you an amazing university experience that's rooted in a rich heritage. You'll have opportunities within and outside of your course that will help you grow academically, personally and professionally. Teaching and Research go hand in hand, that success in one depends on success in the other. Master of Arts courses we offer at SLS lasts for two year and comes after completing an undergraduate course. The SLS master's programmes are designed for young under graduates from a wide range of academic and cultural backgrounds, with a clear interest in liberal studies. At SLS, we develop skills, knowledge and experiences that will stretch, challenge and inspire you, and stay with you for your whole life. It improves your profile in front of potential employer and develop yourself to a research project or pursuing your research interest by taking up Ph.D. The SLS serves more than 2,500 students over wide range of under graduate and post graduate programmes. We are here to help you from the time you are done with your admission.

FIND THE RIGHT MASTER'S PROGRAMME FOR YOU

- Public Administration
- Politics and International Relations
- English
- Psychology
- Economics
- Mass Communication
- Master of Commerce



1. **AREAS OFFERED:-**

A. MASTER OF ARTS - PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

The relevance of Public Administration has grown immensely since the inception of human civilization; its role has increased and changed from doer/provider to regulator of services in the present times. With the present and future perspective on demand-driven administrative processes insight, a two-year master's degree Programme in Public Administration with a focus on Public Policy and Governance is being offered by the School of Liberal Studies, Pandit Deendayal Energy University.

The curriculum of this Master's Programme covers all contemporary and conventional areas of Public Administration, i.e., theories (traditional to contemporary), Indian administration, internal security, rural development, disaster management, social welfare & accountability, Economic & Financial administration, Public enterprises, Non-profit administration etc. The course is supportive for students aspiring to chart out careers in globally competitive public and private sectors, career planning for various social science research institutes and civil services. Those who desire to pursue higher studies may join research Programmes in areas/disciplines such as Public Administration, Local Self-government, Rural Development, Urban Governance & Management, Public Policy, Development Politics, Law & Governance, Sociology, Political Science, etc.

B. MASTER OF ARTS – POLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

The two-year Post Graduation degree in Political Science-International Relations focuses on imparting comprehensive knowledge on International Relations while blending it with vital aspects of Political Science. The curriculum is prepared to train students with the fast-changing developments at the global level, nurture orientations in strategic affairs, and expose students to new horizons in the field of global affairs. The Programme focuses on theory, diplomacy, national and global security, Political Economy, Geopolitics, etc. With a custom-designed curriculum structure and internships and publication training, the course intends to prepare students to fit into the contemporary demands of the academic, administrative, corporate, and diplomacy domains.

C. MASTER OF ARTS - ENGLISH

Department of Languages, Literature and Aesthetics offers a two-year master's degree Programme in English. The Programme introduces students to a wide variety of courses with a trans-disciplinary approach. The courses are drawn from a range of historical periods, diverse cultures, texts in translation, and across disciplines such as visual narratives, theatre art, gender, science, philosophy psychoanalysis, and linguistics. The students are required to acquire comprehensive research skills through independent research dissertations under the guidance of a faculty mentor. The Programme aims to inculcate analytical and research skills, introduce students to critical approaches, understand the place of literature within local, national and global contexts.

D. MASTER OF ARTS – PSYCHOLOGY

A two-year master's degree Programme in Psychology is aimed at imparting application aspects of psychological concepts across various aspects of work and life. Through this Programme students will develop an understanding of how psychological theories are applied to real-world situations. The course will focus on applying psychological concepts, theories, and processes to the fields of health, business, society, spirituality, and education. Techniques to evaluate contemporary local and global issues and topics using an applied psychological Perspective will be integrated into the teaching pedagogy. Further, the course will also focus on making the student more job-ready in various areas at the Individual, team and societal levels. Societal development will be one of the significant focus areas of this Programme

which can be aligned easily with the mission and vision of Pandit Deendayal Energy University. MA in psychology will also facilitate the centers of excellence in specializations of psychology relating to specific sectors such as health, youth, disability and social justice, entrepreneurship and leadership, and developing standardized psychological assessment procedures. Teaching pedagogy for this course includes lectures, workshops, field projects, guest talks, field visits, internships and practical lab work. In the final year, Students are also required to submit two dissertations. Students' performance is evaluated through class assignments, mid-semester & end-semester exams, internships and dissertations are taken into account. This holistic approach to learning facilitates students in understanding the various theories and applying learned concepts in real-world situations.

E. MASTER OF ARTS – ECONOMICS

From 2019, the Economics Area at the Department of Social Sciences has provided an exclusive Master's programme in Economics. The Program is exceptional for students seeking a full-fledged career in the field of Economics by providing a rich combination of academic and practical applications. For postgraduate economics students, there are several employment options available in the field of research, consulting, international agencies, government agencies, corporates, and non-profit organisations. The two-year Master of Economics Programme is spread over four semesters which includes core courses, research dissertations and elective courses. A student is required to complete a minimum of 80 credits.

The Programme focuses on enriching the research and analytical aptitude of students by offering them papers such as Mathematical economics and Advance econometrics along with Statistical Software and databases. Students get acquainted with market and business decisions through courses in corporate finance, financial markets and institutions, entrepreneurship, and behavioural economics. The fundamental theoretical knowledge is intended to be strengthened by studying the papers like microeconomics, macroeconomics, international trade and finance, economics of industrial organisation, game theory, geopolitical economics, and public economics. Furthermore the papers like Economics of the Informal Sector, Economics of the Social Sector, Urban Economics, Rural Economics, Environment and Resource Economics, and Economics of the Resource Sector aid in educating students about social and economic issues. In order to disseminate skills-based knowledge the department also regularly organises seminars, workshops, and symposiums.

F. MASTER OF ARTS – MASS COMMUNICATION

The two-year-long Master of Arts (M.A.) Programme in Mass Communication is a comprehensive course covering all the facets of the Media and Entertainment (M&E) industry. A learner opting for the Programme can choose any one of the six specializations: (i) Multimedia Journalism, (ii) Electronic Media Production and Film Studies, (iii) Public Relations and Corporate Communication, (iv) Media Business, (V) Communication for Social and Behavioural Change, and (vi) Visual Design and Animation. The Programme offers an eclectic mix of both theoretical frameworks and industry practices. The fundamental intent of the state-of-the-art Programme is to train enthusiastic media learners keeping in mind the contemporary demands of the M&E Industry. The first two semesters aim to orient the media learners to the basics of all the disciplines that come under the broader purview of media. In the Third Semester, the media learners need to select their respective specializations based on their areas of interest. The media department is equipped with a modern media lab with the latest gadgets that comprehensively cover videography, editing, sound recording and photography. The media lab also has six editing machines and a Chroma screen, making it one of the best media labs in the country. The teaching pattern followed for this



Programme effectively includes classroom lectures, practical workshops, guest lectures by industry experts, industry visits, internships, project works and research works. In the final semester, the media learners are required to submit two dissertations. The overall performances of the media learners are evaluated based on class activities, assignments, semester examinations, projects and dissertations.

G. MASTER OF COMMERCE

M.Com is a unique two-year programme focused on the finance area. The Programme offers individuals (even from non-finance backgrounds) an inimitable opportunity to gain comprehensive knowledge and ensuing depth in the field of finance. With the paradigm shift of Industry 4.0, all verticals of Industry are going through change. Big data, blockchain, and knock on the door by the digital currency, new-age skill sets are required by the aspirants in finance. Financial Markets have been metamorphosing from simplistic businesses of fundraising and trading to acquire a global, real-time, and sophisticated nature with technology, product innovation, and changes in the global environment. Emergence of Social media and Fintech have added a new perspective. In this context, M.Com is a uniquely designed program to shape 'Future Financial Leaders. The program goes beyond teaching financial theories by tapping into the existing pool of knowledge of the finance professionals and industry experts who create synergies among various disciplines related to finance. This program aims at bringing together finance experts from various disciplines to create an unparalleled learning environment

NOTE: The M.A. Programme is of 90 credits. The 20 (Twenty) papers in four semesters carry 4 (Four) credits, each with 80 credits. In the Third and Fourth semesters, two research dissertations have 5 (Five) credits, each with ten credits. Both the Research Dissertation will be defended before the constituted Board. The Dissertations are to be submitted in partial fulfillment of the Master's Degree requirement.

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2. ADMISSION RULES AND REGULATION

2.1 The admission process for Master Programme for the batch of 2023-25 will be conducted under the direction of the Post Graduation Admissions committee constituted by the University for School of Liberal Studies headed by the Director – SLS.

2.2 Total Number of Seats for admission in each area is limited to **20**.

2.3 Statutory Reservation: For candidate from Indian States & UT's:

- Scheduled Tribe (ST) 7.5%
- Scheduled Caste (SC) 15 %
- Physically Challenged will be provided 3% reservation in each category

Seats will be filled on the basis of open merit if those reserved for the categories mentioned above remain vacant.

3. ADMISSION PROCESS - ONLINE APPLICATION PROCESS

3.1 The Applicant should apply online on the School of Liberal Studies website. (Please visit SLS website www.sls.pdpu.ac.in for application procedure.)

3.2 Applicant can opt for (**only one**) subject/discipline from Public Administration/ Politics and International Relations / English/ Psychology/ Economics/ Mass Communication and M.Com for pursuing the Master's Program.

3.3 For the purpose of registration, the applicant shall be required to pay a sum of Rs. **700.00** through **Internet Banking/Debit Card/Credit Card** towards the **Registration Fee**.

3.4 The **Application Fee is non-refundable, and no correspondence on this subject will be entertained.**

3.5 An applicant shall be required to upload the colour scan copies of requisite mark sheets, certificates and testimonials as specified in the Application Form.

3.6 The application for SLS Post Graduate program admission will be available online till 15th July (Saturday) 2023.

3.7 The applicant is requested to produce their 'Admit Card' at the time of the hybrid personal interview, which will be informed timely.

3.8 The applicants to all Programmes under various reserved categories must submit along with the application form the self-attested photocopies of the certificate for verification of reserved category issued by the competent authority.

4. ELIGIBILITY

4.1 Applicant must have a Bachelor's Degree in any discipline recognized by UGC from any College/University in India

(Students from abroad may please contact Office of International Relations (OIR) for their eligibility).

Office of International Relations- +91-9099031586 | +91-9501194833

4.2 The students expecting their qualifying degree result on/ before 30th September, 2023 can also apply.

4.3 Students must have passed all relevant papers/examinations at the time of admission.



5. SELECTION PROCEDURE

5.1 The applicant has to upload a Statement of purpose (SOP) for his/ her pursuing the Master Programme in around 500 words along with the application form.

5.2 Every applicant will have to submit their SOP before appearing for a personal interview (Hybrid), which will be scheduled by panel and admission office to evaluate the applicant's competence in the areas of General Studies, Awareness, Aptitude, and subject specific in English / Politics and International Relations / Public Administration/ Psychology/ Economics/ Mass Communication and M.Com.

5.3 Students awaiting their bachelor's degree mark sheets will be **offered Provisional admission** based on their SOP and performance in the personal interview and subject to their passing the bachelor's degree examination with 50% marks.

Personal Interview scheduled date/ timing will be communicated to all the applicants in advance by the Admission office, School of Liberal Studies, Pandit Deendayal Energy University, Raisan (Gandhinagar), Gujarat 382 426.

5.4 Merit Marks: Merit Marks shall be the summation of marks obtained in

- i) Graduation Marks
- ii) Statement of Purpose
- iii) Personal Interview

5.5 Merit List shall be prepared in the descending order of merit marks.

Criteria	Marks
Graduation (Grades/ Marks obtained)	10
Statement of Purpose	50
Personal Interview	40
Total	100

6. HYBRID PERSONAL INTERVIEW

6.1 Applicants are required to scan all their mark sheets, certificates, and letter of recommendations, caste / any other certificate and submit it online in the application link.

6.2 PDEU may demand Photostat set of all the original documents at the time of registration. (PDEU does not ask for any of your original documents).

7. INSTRUCTIONS FOR ADMISSION

7.1 Based on the aggregate marks secured in "Statement of Purpose", "Personal Interview", & "Graduation mark sheets" the first merit list will be uploaded up on the website as notified in table no .16

7.2 The students offered admission in the first merit are required to complete admission formalities as notified in table no.16 to secure admission.



7.3 If a selected applicant fails to secure admission as mentioned above, the admission offer will stand cancelled and the seat falling vacant shall be offered to the next waitlisted applicant.

8. CANCELLATION OF ADMISSION/ REFUND OF FEES

8.1 Cancellation of admission by the applicant or his/ her guardian or authorized representative

- 8.1.1 If an applicant applies for cancellation of his admission through email/ in-person till **30th September 2023** the fees paid shall be refunded after deduction of Rs. 1000/- as administrative charges, provided such vacated seat gets filled up.
- 8.1.2 The above referred refund of fees against cancellation of admission is applicable uniformly irrespective of when the applicant has got admission.
- 8.1.3 The refund will be made within 30/ 45 days after receiving all required documents from the candidate in this regard.
- 8.1.4 The candidate shall be required to submit the original receipt of the fees paid for refund in the prescribed form. The application for cancellation is to be submitted as guided by admin office.

8.2 Cancellation of admission by the University:

- 8.2.1 In case the applicant fails to produce original documents within the specified time period, **only deposits** (Rs.13, 000/-) shall be refundable.
- 8.2.2 During verification of documents or subsequently, at any point of time, if the University finds any certificate or testimonial or information submitted by any applicant is incorrect or false, the candidature of such applicant shall be cancelled for that year. For such applicants only a deposit of (Rs.13 000/-) shall be refundable.
- 8.2.3 If the University is satisfied that a certain applicant on no fault of his has been wrongly admitted, fees & deposits paid if any, for the ongoing semester shall be refundable.



9. FEE STRUCTURE FOR A MASTER OF ARTS PROGRAMME

9.1 Fee Structure & Payment Schedule

Particulars	Fees for Student (In Rs.)
First Semester	
Tuition fees (Per semester)	37,500/-
Library deposit (One time-refundable)	3,000/-
Semester Enrolment & Examination fees	3,000/-
Caution money deposit (One time-refundable)	10,000/-
Total Fees (A)	53,500/-
Second Semester	
Tuition fees (Per semester)	37,500/-
Semester Enrolment & Examination fees	3,000/-
Total Fees (B)	40,500/-
Third Semester	
Tuition fees (Per semester)	37,500/-
Semester enrolment fees & Examination fees	3,000/-
Total Fees (C)	40,500/-
Four Semester	
Tuition fees (Per semester)	37,500/-
Semester enrolment fees & Examination fees	3,000/-
Total Fees (D)	40,500/-

Total – A+B+C+D = Rs. 1,75,000/-

- * Each academic year is divided in two semesters.
- * Charges for the Internships (if any) shall be levied on the basis of actual expenditure.

9.2 Hostel and Mess Facilities: (charges will be subject to upward revision for current intake.)

- a) Hostel accommodation is available on first come first serve basis, subject to its availability.
- b) To secure the hostel accommodation, following fees are required to be paid. These fees are non-refundable & subject to revision from time to time.

Sr. No.	Occupancy/Sharing	AC Room Charges per Annum
1	Double/Triple	Rs. 85,000/-

Hostel Deposit (Refundable): **5,000/-**

- c) **Mess Charges***: Rs. **46,000/-** per year for breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks as per canteen schedule. This is compulsory for candidates opting for the hostel facility of the University.
- d) For day scholars Rs. **31,500/-** per year for breakfast, lunch and snacks as per the canteen schedule. (Monday to Friday)

* The above-mentioned Hostel Fees / Mess Charges are to be paid through a Demand Draft drawn in favour of 'Pandit Deendayal Energy University', payable at Gandhinagar at the start of the academic year.



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For hostel facility, contact Mr. Ashutosh Vyas, Aminities building besides SBI bank, PDEU campus.

Email: ashutosh.vyas@spt.pdpu.ac.in

9.3 Payment Schedule:

- Payment for Securing Admission: The candidates who are offered admission can secure the admission only upon payment of the full fees of the first semester.
- Payment of the remaining charges: The admitted students are required to pay the mess charges and electricity charges for the first semester before the prescribed date.
- Semester-wise Payment: The admitted students are required to pay the fees of every semester one week before the commencement of the respective semester. In case of delay, the penalty will be charged as per the prescribed rules of the School.

9.4 Modes of Payment:

- Payment by Demand Draft: Fees may be paid by demand draft drawn in favour of “Pandit Deendayal Energy University,” payable at Gandhinagar, Gujarat.
- The said demand draft will be accepted by the Admission Office as per the stipulated schedule
 - Payment through “Online Payment Gateway” of which the information will be shared with every candidate offered admission for Master Programme at School Of Liberal Studies, PDEU.
 - Branch: Gandhinagar. Students are required to send fee payment receipt slip of the bank in scan copy to slsadmission@pdpu.ac.in & Nilesh.thaker@spt.pdpu.ac.in before the last date.

*Note: The University and its Schools do not accept any cash payment for securing admission.



10. SCHOLARSHIP SCHEMES: FOR MASTER PROGRAMME – SLS – 2023

10.1 There are two Scholarship Schemes applicable for the students securing admissions in Master's Programme for Academic Year 2023.

- **The In-house Scholarship Scheme for the graduate students from PDEU.**
- **The Merit cum Means Scholarship Scheme for graduates from other institutions.**

10.2 Eligibility criteria for the award of In-house scholarship scheme in First Semester: Available to all the graduates from PDEU in the first semester of Master's Programme.

- **Minimum CPI of 7.0 in under graduate course.**
- **Performance of candidate in personal interview round.**

10.3 Eligibility criteria for In-House scholarship scheme from the second semester onwards:

To have earned **Minimum SPI of 7.0 in Second Semester (Master's Programme)**, and also of **7.0 SPI** in every subsequent semester of Master's Programme.

10.4 To have passed every semester examination at the first attempt besides regular attendance, disciplined and exemplary behaviour and compliance with all other norms, as prescribed by the University from time to time.

10.5 In case of a tie between two students the amount of scholarship will be equally divided.

10.6 A candidate once ineligible in any semester won't be eligible to re-apply for scholarships.

10.7 The students availing the benefit of scholarship are required to work as Teaching Assistant for 10 hours per week with the Department/Faculties during the period of scholarship.

10.8 To continue availing the scholarship scheme in second and onward semesters' the student fresh applications will be invited from all students and then subject to their eligibility, the scholarship will be offered to the students in Merit subject to the norms.

10.9 Merit cum Means Scholarship Scheme: The basic eligibility criteria is the Total Annual Income (from all Sources) of the student's parents should not be exceeding Rs. **10.00 Lacs**.

10.10 Two meritorious students from each stream/subject of Master's Programme are eligible for this scholarship per semester. A candidate once ineligible in any semester won't be eligible to re-apply for scholarships. No new candidate shall be allowed in between any of the program.

10.11 Eligibility criteria for the award Merit cum Means Scholarship Scheme in First Semester:

Fifty (50%) of the marks secured in graduation examination **and Eighty (80 %)** of the marks obtained in entrance examination (Online/Offline). Subjected to **minimum of 65% marks** (overall) would be considered for the scholarship in **the first semester**.

10.12 Eligibility criteria for the award of merit cum means scholarship scheme from the second semester onwards: To become eligible for the continuance of the scholarship in subsequent semesters, the students



are required to have earned Minimum **SPI of 7.0** in the 1st Semester, and also of **7.0 SPI** in every subsequent semester.

10.13 To have passed every semester examination at the first attempt besides regular attendance, disciplined and exemplary behaviour and compliance with all other norms, as prescribed by the University from time to time.

10.14 In case of a tie between two students the amount of scholarship will be equally divided.

10.15 A candidate once ineligible in any semester won't be eligible to re-apply for scholarships.

10.16 No new candidate is eligible for the scholarship in between of the Master's Programme 2023 - 25.

10.16 The students availing the benefit of scholarship are required to work as Teaching Assistant for 10 hours per week with the Department/Faculties during the period of scholarship.

10.17 To continue availing the scholarship scheme in second and onward semesters' the student has to apply along with the result of the previous semester in a prescribed form wherein authentic information about the parents income and other relevant information shall have to be furnished.

11. INTERPRETATIONS AND CHANGE OF ADMISSION RULES:

In the matter of interpretation of Admission Policies and Procedures, grant and withdrawal of admission, the decision of the Admission Committee shall be final and binding on the candidates. The Admission Committee is authorized to resolve issues that are not covered in the Admission Policies and Procedures mentioned above, on the merit of the cases, and implement the same.

12. OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

12.1 All communications by the School of Liberal Studies for the admission process will be made through SLS website www.sls.pdpu.ac.in. Candidates are strongly recommended to access the School's website on regular basis for admission updates.

12.2 The Admission Committee has the right to cancel any admission.

12.3 The Admission Committee has the right to cancel any admission given to the student, if the information produced by candidate to be found incorrect/ insufficient.

12.4 On admission, the candidate will have to produce his original documents for verification and a set of self-attested photocopies of the same.

13. WARNING AGAINST RAGGING:

Ragging is completely banned at the University. As directed by the UGC, under the Supreme Court's instructions, students are prohibited from indulging in any kind of ragging inside and outside the University campus. The Anti-Ragging Committee of the University is authorized to take very strict actions against the students indulging in Ragging; including expulsion from the University. The students shall have to submit an undertaking in the prescribed proforma along with the signature of their parent/guardian to the effect that they are aware of the severity of the offences related to the Ragging.



14. CONDITION PRECEDENT:

The above procedure is subject to modification whenever found necessary by the University. If a dispute arises regarding any of the above provisions, the decision of the Director General of the University shall be final and binding to all.

15. JURISDICTION:

The above-referred Admission Rules and Procedure are subject to the jurisdiction of the Hon'ble Court of Gujarat at Ahmedabad.

16. IMPORTANT DATES

Particulars	Timelines
online admission forms available from	06 th March 2023
Last date to submit the admission forms	15 th July 2023
Personal Interviews for the candidates eligible in First List	18 th July to 22 nd July 2023
Announcement of candidates selected in First Merit list	24 th July 2023
Admission formalities, Fees collection & enrolment First List	24 th July to 29 th July 2023
Enrollment/ Document Verification/ Induction	31 st July – 2 nd August, 2023
Commencement of academic session	10 th August, 2023



COURSE OUTLINE – (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION)

Sr. No.	Paper Code	Paper Title
SEMESTER -I		
1	17MPAP 17	Principles and Theories of Public Administration
2	17MPAP 18	Contemporary Administrative Thinkers
3	MPAP03	Indian Administration: Structure and Processes
4	MPAP04	Personnel Administration with reference to India
5	MPAP05	Economic and Financial Administration in India
SEMESTER –II		
6	17MPAP 19	Comparative and Development Administration
7	MPAP07	State Government and District Administration
8	17MPAP 20	Public Service Delivery in India
9	17MPAP 21	Administrative Reforms and Ethics
10	MPAP10	Research Methodology
SEMESTER -III		
11	MPAP11	Public Policy – Themes and Approaches
12	20MPAP 24	Administration – Law, Ethics and Governance
13	17MPAP 23	Internal Security in India
14	MPAP 91	Research Dissertation – I (Topics from Central, State or Local Administration)
Semester III – Elective Papers: Any ONE of the followings from TWO Clusters		
15	22MAPA601	Public Sector Management
16	20MPAP 52	HRM and Industrial Relation
OR		
17	20MPAP 53	Environmental Crisis and Disaster Management Policies
18	20MPAP 54	Contemporary trends in Governance
SEMESTER -IV		
19	MPAP 14	Rural and Urban Local Governance in India
20	20MPAP 25	E-Governance and Administration
21	20MPAP 26	Administration of Non-Profit Organizations
22	MPAP 92	Research Dissertation - II (Topics being covered from the Public Policy Perspectives)
Semester IV – Elective Papers: Any ONE of the followings from TWO Clusters		
23	20MPAP 55	Public Policy Formulation and implementation in India
24	20MPAP 56	Social Policy – Accountability and Governance
25	20MPAP 57	Project Management
26	17MPAP 62	Public Private Partnerships

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COURSE OUTLINE - (POLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS)

Sr. No.	Paper Code	Paper Title
SEMESTER-I		
1	MPIR01	Contemporary Political Theory
2	MPIR02	Modern Political Thought
3	MPIR05	Indian Political System
4	MPIR06	Theory and Practice of Diplomacy
5	MPIR61	Foreign Policy of India
SEMESTER-II		
6	19MPIR62	Research Methodology and its Application
7	19MPIR63	Theories and Approaches in International Relations
8	MPIR04	Thinkers in International Relations
9	MPIR09	Gender in Global Politics
10	MPIR11	Geopolitics in International Relations
SEMESTER-III		
11	MPIR12	Comparative Political Analysis
12	19MPIR13	Foreign Policy of Major Powers
13	19MPIR64	Conflict Transformation and Peace Building
14	MPIR91	Research Dissertation – I
Semester III – Elective Papers: Any TWO		
15	19MPIR65	Culture and Politics
16	19MPIR66	Human Security in India
17	19MPIR67	United Nations in Global Governance
18	19MPIR68	Approaches to Human Rights
SEMESTER-IV		
19	MPIR07	Energy Politics in International Relations
20	19MPIR69	Security in International Relations
21	19MPIR70	International Relations Studies in India
22	MPIR92	Research Dissertation – II
Semester IV – Elective Papers: Any TWO		
23	19MPIR71	Politics, Development and Social Movements in India
24	19MPIR72	India's Energy Security and Policy
25	19MPIR73	India's Nuclear Discourse
26	19MPIR74	Media and Politics

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COURSE OUTLINE - (ENGLISH)

Sr. No.	COURSE CODE	PAPER TITLE
Semester - I		
1	20MELL21	Literature in English, 1550-1660
2	20MELL22	Literature in English, 1660-1798
3	20MELL23	Literary Criticism - 1
4	20MELL24	Literature and Science
5	20MELL25	Research Methodology
Semester - II		
6	20MELL26	Literature in English, 1798-1914
7	20MELL27	Literature in English, 1914-2000
8	20MELL28	Literary Criticism - 2
9	20MELL29	Literature and Gender
10	20MELL30	Literature and Visual Narratives
Semester - III		
11	20MELL31	Literature and Psychoanalysis
12	20MELL32	Literature and Philosophy
13	20MELL33	Literature and the Theatre Arts
14	20MELL34	Children's Literature
15	20MELL91	Research Dissertation -1
Elective Papers		
16	20MELL61	Classical Literature
17	20MELL62	Translation Studies
18	20MELL63	Postcolonial Literature
Semester - IV		
19	20MELL35	Popular Literature
20	20MELL36	American Literature
21	20MELL37	South Asian Literature
22	20MELL38	Comparative Bhakti Traditions
23	20MELL39	Introduction to English Language and Approaches to English Language Teaching
24	20MELL92	Research Dissertation -2

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COURSE OUTLINE - (PSYCHOLOGY)

Sr. No.	COURSE CODE	PAPER TITLE
Semester - I		
1	20 MPS101	Introduction to Applied Psychology
2	20 MPS102	Cross-Cultural studies in Psychology
3	20 MPS103	Cognitive Processes
4	20MPS104	Qualitative Research Methods in Psychology
5	20 MPS105	Schools of psychology
Semester - II		
6	20MPS106	Experimental Psychology- Theory and Practical
7	20MPS107	Applied Statistics In Psychology
8	20MPS108	Applied Personality Psychology
9	20MPS109	Psychometrics: Theory And Practical
10	20MPS110	Applied Environmental Psychology
Semester - III		
11	20MPS201	Health & Wholistic Wellbeing
12	20MPS202	Applied Social Psychology
13	20MPS203	Physiological Psychology
14	20MPS204	Clinical Psychology
15	20MPS205	Applied Media Psychology
16	20MPS207	Research Dissertation (Internship)
Semester - IV		
17	20MPS208	Applied Positive Psychology
18	20MPS209	Human Resource Development & Organizational Development
19	20MPS210	Applied Counseling psychology
20	20MPS211	Applied Forensic Psychology
21	20MPS212	Applied Psychology of Creativity and Innovation
22	20MPS214	Research Dissertation

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COURSE OUTLINE - (ECONOMICS)

Sr. No.	COURSE CODE	PAPER TITLE
Semester - I		
1	19MEC101	Microeconomics
2	19MEC102	Macroeconomics
3	19MEC103	Mathematical Economics
4	19MEC104	Research Methods
5	19MEC105	Comparative Economic Systems
Semester - II		
6	19MEC106	Basic Econometrics
7	19MEC107	Public Economics
8	19MEC108	International Trade and Finance
9	19MEC109	Environment and Resource Economics
10	19MEC110	Economics of Corporate Finance
Semester - III		
11	19MEC201	Development Economics
12	19MEC202	Economics of Social Sector
13	19MEC203	Energy and Infrastructure Economics
14	19MEC204	Economics of Industrial Organization
15	19MEC111	Research Dissertation 01 (Internship report)
Elective Papers		
16	19MEC205	Advanced Econometrics
17	19MEC206	Entrepreneurship
18	19MEC207	Rural Economics
Semester - IV		
19	19MEC208	Behavioural Economics
20	19MEC209	Economics of Informal Sector
21	19MEC210	Financial Markets and Institutions
22	19MEC211	Innovation and Knowledge Economy
23	19MEC215	Research Dissertation/Project Report
Elective Papers		
24	19MEC212	Urban Economics
25	19MEC213	Game Theory
26	19MEC214	Geo-Political Economy

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COURSE OUTLINE - (MASS COMMUNICATION)

Sr. No.	COURSE CODE	PAPER TITLE
Semester – I		
1	21MMC11	Theories of Media and Communication
2	21MMC12	Development Communication
3	21MMC13	Public Relations and Corporate Communication
4	21MMC14	Introduction to Print Media
5	21MMC15	Advertising and Branding
Semester – II		
6	21MMC21	Introduction to Media and Entertainment Business
7	21MMC22	Communication Research
8	21MMC23	International Communication
9	21MMC24	Introduction to Electronic Media
10	21MMC25	Digital Media Application
Semester – III		
11	21MMC31	Media Laws and Ethics
12	21MMC32	Consumer Behaviour and Audience Study
13	21MMC33	Journalism Across Media
14	21MMC34	Advanced Public Relations and Event Management
15	21MMC35	Advanced Audio – Visual Production
Semester – IV		
16	21MMC41	Business Communication and Professional Etiquette
17	21MMC42	Reputation Management and CSR
18	21MMC43	Media Management
19	21MMC44	Film Appreciation
20	21MMC45	Project
Semester – IV Research Dissertation		
21	20MMC91	M.A. Dissertation - I
22	20MMC92	M.A. Dissertation - I

**The availability of notified specializations will be contingent upon the conditional approval of the School Director.

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Sr. No.	COURSE CODE	PAPER TITLE
Semester - I		
1	23MCO101	Financial Analytics and Artificial Intelligence
2	23MCO102	Business Environment and Practices
3	23MCO103	Management and Financial Accounting
4	23MCO104	Legal Aspect of Business
5	23MCO105	Organization Theory and Behavior
Semester - II		
6	23MCO201	Project Planning, Analysis and Management
7	23MCO202	Marketing Management
8	23MCO203	Governance, Risk and Compliances
9	23MCO204	Financial Markets, Institutions and Services
10	23MCO205	Business Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Strategy
Semester - III		
11		Machine Learning and Finance
12		Artificial Intelligence in Finance
13		Blockchain and Crypto Currency
14		Corporate Tax Planning and Management
15		Management Accounting and Decision Making
16		Financial Accounting and Auditing Standards
17		Digital Marketing and M-Commerce
18		Supply Chain Management and Analytics
19		Integrated Marketing Communication
20		Principles of Innovation and Entrepreneurial Management
21		Entrepreneurial Finance: Concept and Management
22		Business Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Strategy
23		Research Dissertation - I



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Semester - IV		
24		Multi Asset Financial Portfolio Analysis
25		Credit Risk Modelling
26		Financial Modelling and Structuring
27		Forsenic Accounting and Auditing
28		International Business and Finance
29		Financial Planning and Wealth Management
30		Business Analytics and Consumer Behaviour
31		Sales and Distribution Management
32		International Marketing
33		Business Ideation and Business Plan Development
34		Contemporary Issues in Starts and Innovation
35		Entrepreneurship and Family Business
36		Research Dissertation - II

FAIB	:	Fintech, Artificial Intelligence and Blockchain
AACT	:	Advanced Accounting, Auditing and Taxation
BA&M	:	Business Analytics and Marketing
SE&I	:	Startup, Entrepreneurship and Innovation

Note: Student can choose One Major cluster (To study Three Subject, each of 4 Credits in Sem III & IV) and One Minor (To study Two subjects, each of 4 Credits in Sem III & IV).