

**(Abstract)**

Complementary Elective Course in Economics for B A Social Sciences-Optional History programme (CBCSS - OBE) w.e.f 2020 admission - Scheme, Syllabus (1st & 2nd semester) and Model Question Paper-Implemented-Order Issued.

**ACADEMIC C SECTION**

Acad/C1/3001/2021

Dated:15.11.2021

- Read:-
- 1.U.O.No.Acad/C1/3001/2021 dated 02.02.2021
  - 2.U.O No.Acad C1/12530/2019 dated 20.06.2019
  - 3.Letter No.Acad/C1/3001/2021 dated 20.07.2021
  - 4.Letter from the former Chairperson,BoS in Economics(UG) dated 28.07.2021

**ORDER**

1. As per the paper read (1) above, the Scheme and Syllabus of BA Social Science Programme(CBCSS-OBE) was implemented with effect from 2020 admission.
2. One among the two Complementary Elective Courses offered in 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester for B A Social Sciences-Optional History Programme (CBCSS-OBE) w.e.f 2020, is 'Economics'.
3. As per read (2),the Syllabus of B A Economics does not provide any Complementary Elective Course for B A Social Sciences-Optional History Programme (CBCSS-OBE), as the same was revised w.e.f 2019 admission itself.
4. Therefore, the former Chairperson of Board of Studies in Economics (UG), as per paper read (3) was entrusted with the preparation of Scheme, Syllabus and Model Question Papers of the Complementary Elective Courses in Economics for B A Social Sciences-Optional History programme (CBCSS-OBE), as the Board of Studies was in reconstitution stage at that time.
5. As per paper read (4), the Chairperson BoS in Economics (UG) recommended to opt the Complementary Elective Courses for Non-Economics Programmes offered in the Syllabus of BA Economics implemented w.e.f. 2019 admission, (viz: 1C05ECO-Introductory Economics I in first semester and 2C06ECO Introductory Economics II in second semester) for the B A Social Sciences-Optional History Programme (CBCSS-OBE) also, w.e f 2020.
6. The Vice Chancellor after considering the matter in detail and in exercise of the powers of the Academic Council conferred under section 11 (1) Chapter III of Kannur University Act 1996 accorded sanction to implement the Scheme, Syllabus (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> semesters) and Model Question Papers of the Complementary Elective Courses in Economics for the B A Social Sciences-Optional History [New Generation Programme CBCSS - OBE\*], w.e.f 2020 admission.
7. The Scheme, Syllabus (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Semesters) and Model Question Papers of Complementary Elective Courses in Economics for the New Generation Programme B.A Social Sciences-Optional History [CBCSS-OBE] applicable w.e.f. 2020 admission onwards are uploaded in the University website (www.kannuruniversity.ac.in).
8. U. O read (2) above, stands modified to this extent.

Orders are issued accordingly.


\* Outcome based Education

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  2. The former Chairperson, BoS in Economics (UG)
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SECTION OFFICER

**PART B:**  
**ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS:**  
**COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSES**  
**WORK AND CREDIT DISTRIBUTION**  
**(2019 ADMISSION ONWARDS)**

SL NO.	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	SEMESTER	HOURS PER WEEK	CREDIT	EXAM HRS	MARKS
1	1 C 01ECO/ DEV ECO	MATHEMATICS FOR ECONOMIC ANALYSIS I	I	6	4	3	40+10=50
2	2 C 02 ECO/ DEV ECO	MATHEMATICS FOR ECONOMIC ANALYSIS II	II	6	4	3	40+10=50
3	3 C03 ECO/ DEV ECO	MATHEMATICAL ECONOMCIS I	III	6	4	3	40+10=50
4	4 C04 ECO/ DEV ECO	MATHEMATICAL ECONOMCIS II	IV	6	4	3	40+10=50
5	1 C05 ECO	INTRODUCTORY ECONOMICS I (FOR NON-ECONOMICS PROGRAMMES ONLY)	I	6	4	3	40+10=50
6	2 C06 ECO	INTRODUCTORY ECONOMICS II (FOR NON-ECONOMICS PROGRAMMES ONLY)	II	6	4	3	40+10=50
7	3 C07 ECO	HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT I	III	6	4	3	40+10=50
8	4 C08 ECO	HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT II	IV	6	4	3	40+10=50
9	1 C 09ECO	POPULATION AND DEVELOPEMNT	I	6	4	3	40+10=50
10	2 C10 ECO	ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY	II	6	4	3	40+10=50
11	3 C11ECO	AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS	III	6	4	3	40+10=50
12	4 C12 ECO	GENDER ECONOMICS	IV	6	4	3	40+10=50

**EVALUATION**

ASSESSMENT	WEIGHTAGE
EXTERNAL	4
INTERNAL	1

**INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

COMPONENT*	WEIGHTAGE**	REMARKS
COMPONENT 1 EXAM	50%	50%
COMPONENT 2 i) Assignment ii) Seminar/Viva -	50%	50%

\*Any two components, Attendance shall not be a component

**COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSE 05:  
INTRODUCTORY ECONOMICS -I**

SEMESTER	COURSE CODE	HOURS PER WEEK	CREDIT	EXAM HRS
1	1C 05 ECO	6	4	3

**COURSE OUTCOME**

1. The students will get an overall background of the economic theory
2. Specific inputs from micro economics covering the fundamental concepts will improve their analytical skills

**Module I: Introduction to Economics**

Definition of Economics- Micro and macro economics- Scarcity and choice-Production possibility curve-Central problems of an Economy-Role of price mechanism (20 hrs)

**Module II: Demand analysis**

Law of Demand-Elasticity of demand-price, cross and Income elasticity of Demand-Measurement of elasticity of demand -Cardinal Utility approach-Law of Diminishing Marginal Utility-consumers surplus-Ordinal utility- Indifference Schedule -Indifference curve Analysis- Properties of Indifference Curve (20 hrs)

**Module III: Theory of production, cost and revenue**

Production function-factors of production - Laws of production-Short run (Law of variable proportions)-Long run (Returns to scale)-Economies and diseconomies of Scale-Cost function - Types of costs-cost curves(TC,TFC,TVC,AVC,AFC,AC,MC)-Revenue and Revenue curves(TR,AR and MR) (28 hrs)

**Module IV: Market forms and Distribution theory**

i) Perfect Competition and its features- Equilibrium of the firm in short run and long run- Monopoly and its features-price and output determination under Monopoly-Price discrimination- Monopolistic competition and its features -price and output determination under Monopolistic Competition.

- ii) Marginal productivity theory of distribution- Rent and Quasi rent Wages-Nominal and real wages- subsistence wages- Interest-natural and market rate of interest- profits-Gross and Net profits (40 hrs)

**Books for study**

1. Mankiw, Gregory N(2008)Microeconomics, Worth Publishers
2. Koutsoyiannis(2010) A Modern Microeconomics, MacMillan
3. Dominik Salvatore (2010) Principles of Microeconomics, Oxford, International Student Edition.

**Books for Reference**

1. Dwivedi, D.N(2002): Microeconomics: Theory and Applications, 2nd Ed., Pearson, New Delhi
2. Watson and Getz (2011) Price Theory and its Uses', New Delhi: AITBS Publisher.

**COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSE 06:  
INTRODUCTORY ECONOMICS II**

SEMESTER	COURSE CODE	HOURS PER WEEK	CREDIT	EXAM HRS
II	2C 06 ECO	6	4	3

**COURSE OUTCOME**

1. To familiarize the students about the subject matter of economics mainly relating to concepts in macro economics and public finance.
2. Students are expected to get an awareness of the development issues of Indian economy with special reference to poverty, inequality, unemployment and black economy.

**Module I: National Income Accounting**

Concepts of National income [GNP/GVA, NNP, NI, Personal Income, Disposable Income, per-capita income] Computation of NI- Methods and Difficulties (20 hrs)

**Module II: Money and Banking**

Barter system -Meaning of money-type, role and functions of money -functions of commercial banks- Central Banks - Role and functions of RBI--Instruments of credit control-Quantitative methods [Bank rate, open market operations, Repo rate, Reverse repo rate, CRR, SLR] - Qualitative or selective credit control methods. (24 hrs)

**Module III: Public Finance**

Scope and subject matter-sources of public revenue (tax revenue and non tax revenue) –public expenditure -public debt- methods of debt redemption- Budget-types of budget (33 hrs).

**Module IV: Development issues of Indian economy**

Poverty, Inequality, Unemployment and Black money- Demonetization –Features of Kerala economy-Kerala model of development- decentralized planning in Kerala-Demographic profile of Kerala with latest census report (32 hrs)

**Books for Study**

1. Dewett KK (2002): Advanced Economic Theory, S.Chand
2. Mankiw, Gregory N(2007) ‘Macroeconomics’ – Worth Publishers
3. Uma Kapila(2012)Indian Economy Since Independence, Academic Foundation
4. Prakash, BA(2004) Kerala’s Economic Development Emerging Issues and Challenges, Sage
5. Mithani, D.M(2010): Modern Public Finance: Theory and Practice , Himalaya Publishing House

**Books for Reference**

1. Lekhi, R.K(2010) Public Finance, Kalyani Publishers
2. Hajela, T.N(2012) Public Finance , ANE Books
3. Gupta, DP and Gupta, R K – Modern Banking in India, Asian Books Private Ltd.

**MODEL QUESTION PAPER**  
**B A DEGREE EXAMINATION**  
**ECONOMICS**  
**INTRODUCTORY ECONOMICS-I (COMPLEMENTARY COURSE)**  
**SEMESTER I**

**Time: 3 hours**

**Maximum marks: 40**

**Part – A**

**Answer all Questions. Each Carries One Mark**

- 1) Define Economics.
- 2) Distinguish between cardinal and ordinal utility?
- 3) Concept of quasi rent.
- 4) What is selling cost?
- 5) Distinguish between micro and macro economics?
- 6) Define production function

1x6=6

**Part – B**

**Answer any Six Questions. Each Carries Two Marks**

- 7) What are the features of perfect competition?
- 8) Distinguish between price elasticity and cross elasticity of demand?
- 9) What is production possibility curve?
- 10) Define consumer surplus.
- 11) What do you mean by product differentiation?
- 12) Differentiate between expansion and contraction of demand.
- 13) What is the relation between average cost and marginal cost?
- 14) Explain the central problems of the economy.

2x6=12

**Part – C**

**Answer any Four Questions. Each Carries Three Marks**

- 15) What are the properties of an indifference curve?
- 16) Discuss about the functions and limitations of price mechanism?
- 17) Define elasticity of demand .what are the different degrees of elasticity of demand?
- 18) State the law of demand. What are its exceptions?
- 19) State law of variable proportion?
- 20) Explain consumer surplus.

3x4=12

**Part – D**

**Answer any Two Questions. Each Carries Five Marks**

- 21) Critically examine marginal productivity theory of distribution?
- 22) How price and output is determined under monopolistic competition in the long run?
- 23) Explain various definitions of economics
- 24) What is production? Explain the short run and long run laws of production?

2x5=10

**MODEL QUESTION PAPER**  
**B A DEGREE EXAMINATION**  
**ECONOMICS**  
**INTRODUCTORY ECONOMICS-II (COMPLEMENTARY COURSE)**  
**SEMESTER II**

**Time: 3 hours**

**Maximum marks: 40**

**Part – A**

**Answer all Questions. Each Carries One Mark**

- 1) Distinguish between CRR and SLR?
- 2) Define public debt
- 3) What is GNP?
- 4) Define money.
- 5) What is an open market operation?
- 6) Define poverty.

1x6=6

**Part – B**

**Answer any Six Questions. Each Carries Two Marks**

- 7) Distinguish between absolute poverty and relative poverty.
- 8) What are non tax revenue items?
- 9) Distinguish between repo and reverse repo rate
- 10) What is moral suasion?
- 11) Explain decentralized planning in Kerala.
- 12) What is disguised unemployment?
- 13) Distinguish between surplus budget and deficit budget?
- 14) Define money. What are the functions of money?

2x6=12

**Part – C**

**Answer any Four Questions. Each Carries Three Marks**

- 15) What are the sources of public revenue?
- 16) Explain the principles of budgeting.
- 17) What do you mean by inequality? Discuss about different types of inequality in India.
- 18) What is inflation? Discuss about different types of inflation.
- 19). Explain the limitations associated with national income calculation
- 20) Explain the methods of debt redemption.

3x4=12

**Part – D**

**Answer any TWO Questions. Each Carries Five Marks**

- 21) Explain Kerala model of development
- 22) Distinguish between direct and indirect tax. Explain the merits and demerits of direct and indirect taxes in India.
- 23)? Describe the functions of RBI. Explain the qualitative and quantitative credit control methods of RBI?
- 24) What is black money? Examine the causes and measures taken by government of India to

2x5=10