

Circular- Special Regulations

Sub: Special Regulations with regard to Examination and Assessment for the students of current Intermediate semesters of UG and PG programmes 2021 reg-

Ref: VTU/BGM/Aca-OS-Cirs/2021-22/1803, dated 3rd Aug 2021.

With reference to the above, the UG and PG students of current intermediate semesters (The students of 2nd, 4th and 6th semester of BE, 2nd semester of MBA & M.Tech and 2nd & 4th semester of MCA who are registered and on rolls during the academic year 2020-21.) shall be assessed based on UGC Guidelines considering their Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE) marks and performance in the immediate previous semester. The formula for deciding the grades followed during the academic year 2019-20 under the similar circumstances will be applicable now also.

The following special regulations are made with reference to students of current intermediate semesters:

- a. Grade of UG and PG students of current intermediate even semester subjects shall be the sum of 50% marks on the basis of CIE and the remaining 50% marks on the basis of performance in previous semester only.
However, Examination will be conducted for the courses like Mini Project/Seminar/Internship by the respective departments, in blended mode.
- b. Grade Improvement Examination (**ONLY ONE ATTEMPT**) will be conducted in offline mode during 2nd week of September 2021, to those students of current intermediate even semester who wish to improve their grade in any subject/course of the current intermediate semester assessment. In such a case, student will be awarded the better of two grades and will not be considered as an additional attempt. (Timetable for Grade Improvement Examination will be announced after the Even Semester Result declaration).
- c. The scheme of "carry forward" (for the subjects in which the student has failed) shall be allowed only for this Academic Year as per the special regulation.
- d. Every student shall be allowed to register for the next permissible odd semester based on the most recent even semester completed by the student. However, the students must complete the programme **with in the maximum permissible duration as per Regulations.**
- e. Such students are allowed to **Re-register** for TWO courses in which they failed during A:Y 2020-2021 in the following regular semesters of A:Y 2021-22 (odd courses in odd semesters and even courses in even semesters) in order to gain eligibility for the next A:Y 2022-2023, as per the University's vertical progression regulations.

Note: the above special regulation is applicable only for the A:Y 2021-22.

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