REGIONAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT (GEOGP 203 SEC)



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CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS) FOR UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

The Himachal Pradesh University vide Letter No. 2-1/2012 H.P.U. (Academic) dated 4 June 2016 has notified the acceptance of the latest course curriculum under Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) brought out by the University Grant Commission for implementation of academic session 2020-21.

OUTLINES OF CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM

- 1. **Core Course**: (12 for general courses; 4 discipline specific papers each for regular courses and 2 papers each for English and Hindi/MIL in B.A./B.Com.
- 2. Elective Course: Generally a course which can be chosen from a pool of courses and which may be very specific or specialized or advanced or supportive to the discipline/ subject of study or which provides an extended scope or which enables an exposure to some other discipline/subject/domain or nurtures the candidate's proficiency/skill is called an Elective Course.
- 2.1 Discipline Specific Elective (DSE): (2 each for regular courses): An elective course offered under the main discipline/subject of study is referred to as Discipline Specific Elective.
- **2.2 Generic Elective (GE) Course**: (2 each for B.A./B.Com. regular courses): An elective course chosen from an unrelated discipline/subject, with an intention to seek exposure beyond discipline/s of choice is called a Generic Elective.
- 3. **Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC):** The Ability Enhancement (AE) Courses may be of two kinds: Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC) and Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC). "AECC" courses are the courses based upon the content that leads to Knowledge enhancement; (i) Environmental Science and (ii) English/Hindi/MIL Communication/Sanskrit.
- 3.1 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC): (4 for regular courses): These courses may be chosen from a pool of courses designed to provide value-based and/or skill-based knowledge and should contain both theory and lab/hands-on/training/field work. The main purpose of these courses is to provide students life-skills in hands-on mode so as to increase their employability.

NEW SCHEME FOR UGC CBCS B.A.

Year	Core Courses	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2)	Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) (4)	Generic Elective GE (2)	Credits
st	ENG-I SKT/HINDI-I DSC-IA DSC-IB DSC-2A DSC-2B	ENVIRONMENT HINDI/ENG/SKT	-	-	_	6x6= 36 2x4= 08 Total = 44
2 nd	ENG-2 SKT/HINDI-2 DSC-1C DSC-1D DSC-2C DSC-2D	-	SEC-1 SEC-2	-	_	6X6= 36 2X4= 08 Total = 44
3 rd	-	-	SEC-3 SEC-4	DSE-1A DSE-1B DSE-2A DSE-2B	GE-1 GE-2	6x6 = 36 2x4 = 8 Total = 44
Total C	redits					132

Year	Core Courses	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2)	Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) (4)	Generic Elective GE (2)
st	English/ MIL-I	(English/ MIL			
	Physical Geography (GEOGP 101 CC) DSC-2A	Communication) / Environmental Science			
	English/ MIL-I	Environmental Science/			
	General Cartography (Practical) (GEOGP 102 CC)	- (English/ MIL Communication)			
	DSC-2B				
2 nd	English / MIL-2		Regional Planning and		
_	Human Geography (GEOGP 201 CC)		Development (GEOGP 203 SEC)		
	DSC-2C				
	English /MIL-2		Remote Sensing and GPS (GEOGP 204 SEC)		
	Environmental Geography (GEOGP 202 CC)				
	DSC- 2D				
3 rd			Geographic Information System (Practical) GEOGP 301 SEC)	Geography of India (GEOGP 303-1 DSE) Or Economic Geography (GEOGP 303- 2 DSE)	Disaster Risk Reduction (GEOGP 305-GE I)
			Field Techniques and Survey based Project Report (Practical) (GEOGP 302 SEC)	Disaster Management (GEOGP 304- I DSE) Or Geography of Tourism (GEOGP 304- 2 DSE)	Sustainability and Development (GEOGP 306- GE 2)

EXAMINATION & EVALUATION SYSTEM

The Evaluation System in CBCS will consist of two components :

- (i) Continuous Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE) accounting for 30% of the final grade that a student gets in a course; and
- (ii) End-Semester Examination (ESE): accounting for the remaining 70% of the final grade that a student's gets in a course.
- (I) Continuous Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE): This would have the following components:
- (a) Classroom Attendance: Each student will have to attend a minimum of 75% Lectures /Tutorials/ Practical's.
- (b) Mid-Term Tests: There will be one mid-term test of 15 marks. It is mandatory to appear in mid-term test & must score 45% marks to become eligible for end-term examination.
- (c) Seminar /Assignment:
- (i) The 10 marks of the CCE will be awarded on the basis of seminar/assignment etc. that the course teacher might give to the students.
- (ii) The remaining 5 marks of the CCE will be awarded on the basis of attendance.
- (iii) End-Semester/Examination (ESE): The remaining 70% of the final grade of the student in a course will be on the basis of end-semester examination (ESE) that will be of three hours duration and covering the whole syllabus of the course.

ENVIRONMENTAL GEOGRAPHY (GEOGP 202 CC)

Unit	Topic		
1	Definition and Scope of Environmental Geography, Meaning and Components		
	of Environment, Ecosystem – Concept, Components and Functions		
2	Human- Environment Relationship, Environmental Determinism and Possibilism		
	Biomes- Definition, Mountain and Desert Regions		
3	Environmental Problems: Air and water Pollution, Their Causes, Impacts and		
	Management, Biodiversity Loss		
4	Environmental Management Initiatives in India Environmental Protection Act,		
	1982, Environmental Policy of India(2006), Chipko Movement		

REGIONAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT (GEOGP 203 SEC)

Unit	Topic
I	Introduction, Concept, Need and Types of Regional Planning,
	Characteristics and Delineation of Planning Region
2	Regionalization: Concept, Hill Region: Case study of Himachal
	Pradesh(Physical and Cultural aspects)
3	Models for Regional Planning, Growth Pole Theory and Core Periphery
	Model
4	Regional Development Initiatives: Case Studies, Integrated tribal
	Development Programme (ITDP), Damodar Valley Corporation(DVC)

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