

BHARATI VIDYAPEETH UNIVERSITY, PUNE

COURSE STRUCTURE AND SYLLABUS OF THREE YEARS INTEGRATED BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE COURSE (B.A.) (2010 COURSE)

THE B.A. DEGREE COURSE WILL BE OF THREE YEARS DURATION

The B.A. degree of three years duration has been revised from the academic year 2010-2011. First Year B.A. revised course will commence from 2010-2011 and will be implemented in successive years.

RULES & REGULATIONS FOR B.A. COURSE

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO B.A. COURSE:

1. A candidate who has passed the Higher Secondary School Certificate Examination of the Maharashtra State Board or an equivalent examination of any other statutory Board or University with English as a passing subject will be admitted to the first year of this course.

STRUCTURE OF B.A. DEGREE PROGRAMME (SEMESTER SYSTEM)

F.Y.B.A. Semester – I

Year & Semester	Subject Code	Subject Title	Marks
F.Y.B.A. Semester - I	A101	1. Compulsory English – I	50
	A111	2. Poetry and Minor Literary Forms of English Literature - I	50
	A121	3. A121 : भाषा आणि साहित्य - I	50
	A131	4. Physical Geography-I	50
	A141	5. Basic Principles of Political Theory – I	50
	A151	6. Introduction to Sociology – I	50
	A161	7. Indian Economy – I	50
TOTAL MARKS			300

F.Y.B.A. SEMESTER II

Year & Semester	Subject Code	Subject Title	Marks
F.Y.B.A. Semester – II	A201	1. Compulsory English – II	50
	A211	2. Poetry and Minor Literary Forms of English Literature – II	50
	A221	3. अ२२१ : भाषा आणि साहित्य – II	50
	A231	4. Physical Geography-II	50
	A241	5. Basic Principles of Political Theory – II	50
	A251	6. Introduction to Sociology – II	50
	A261	7. Indian Economy – II	50
Total Marks			300

A student joining the First year B.A. course shall offer six subjects mentioned above. He/she is advised to select the subjects of First Semester very carefully because he/she has to select subjects for the following semesters from the subjects offered at First Semester.

- 1) Subject No. 1 is compulsory.
- 2) A student has to offer five subjects from subject No. 2 to No. 7 given above.

S.Y.B.A. SEMESTER III

Semester	Code	Course / Subject Title	Marks
	A301	Compulsory English – I	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – III	Special Level: English		
	A311	1. Introduction to the Study of Language – I	50
	A312	2. Indian English Literature – I	50
	A313	3. Understanding Poetry – I	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – III	Special Level: Marathi		
	A321	१. साहित्यास्वाद – ख	50
	A322	२. मध्ययुगीन मराठी गद्य व पद्य – ख	50
	A323	३. आधुनिक मराठी वाङ्मय : प्रेरणा आणि परंपरा – ख	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – III	Special Level: Geography		
	A331	1. Human Geography-I	50
	A332	2. Agricultural Geography-I	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – III	Special Level: Political Science		
	A341	1. Indian Administration – I	50
	A342	2. Government and politics of India – I	50
	A343	3. Indian Political Thought – I	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – III	Special Level: Sociology		
	A351	1. Foundation of Sociological Thought – I	50
	A352	2. Sociology of Tribal Society – I	50
	A353	3. Rural and Urban Society – I	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – III	Special Level: Economics		
	A361	1. Money, Banking and Public Finance – I	50
	A362	2. Micro Economics – I	50
	A363	3. Macro Economics – I	50
Total Marks			300

S.Y.B.A. SEMESTER IV

Semester	Code	Course / Subject Title	Marks
	A401	Compulsory English – II	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – IV	Special Level: English		
	A411	1. Introduction to the Study of Language – II	50
	A412	2. Indian English Literature – II	50
	A413	3. Understanding Poetry – II	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – IV	Special Level: Marathi		
	A421	1. साहित्यास्वाद - II	50
	A422	2. मध्ययुगीन मराठी गद्य व पद्य - II	50
	A423	3. आधुनिक मराठी वाङ्मय : प्रेरणा आणि परंपरा – I	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – IV	Special Level: Geography		
	A431	1. Human Geography –II	50
	A432	2. Agricultural Geography-II	50
	A433	3. Practical Course-I: Cartographic Techniques & Surveying	100
S.Y.B.A. Semester – IV	Special Level: Political Science		
	A441	1. Indian Administration – II	50
	A442	2. Government and politics of India – II	50
	A443	3. Indian Political Thought – II	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – IV	Special Level: Sociology		
	A451	1. Foundation of Sociological Thought – II	50
	A452	2. Sociology of Tribal Society – II	50
	A453	3. Rural and Urban Society – II	50
S.Y.B.A. Semester – IV	Special Level: Economics		
	A461	1. Money, Banking and Public Finance – II	50
	A462	2. Micro Economics – II	50
	A463	3. Macro Economics – II	50
Total Marks			300

A student for the B.A. (Special) Degree shall study the subject as given below at the Third and Fourth Semesters.

- 1) Compulsory English.
- 2) He/she has to select one subject as a special subject from the subjects offered at the First Semester. There will be three papers of special subject.
- 3) He/she has to select two subjects as a general subjects i.e. First paper in the Special Group, from the subjects offered at the First Semester.

Thus a student shall study in all six papers.

T.Y.B.A. Semester - V

Semester	Code	Course / Subject Title	Marks
	A501	Compulsory English – I	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – V	Special Level: English		
	A511	1. Understanding Drama – I	50
	A512	2. Understanding Fiction – I	50
	A513	3. Speaking and Writing Skills in English – I	50
	A514	4. Literary Criticism: Theory and Practice – I	50
	A515	5. Structure and Function of Modern English – I	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – V	Special Level: Marathi		
	A521	1. एका अर्वाचीन वाङ्मयप्रकाराचा अभ्यास – कादंबरी - I	50
	A522	2. साठोत्तरी साहित्य : सामाजिक व सांस्कृतिक पर्यावरण – I	50
	A523	3. साहित्यसिद्धांतांची ओळख-I	50
	A524	4. भाषाविज्ञान-I	50
	A525	5. संज्ञापनकौशल्ये आणि जनसंवादमाध्यमे -I	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – V	Special Level: Geography		
	A531	1. Resource and Environment-I	50
	A532	2. Geography of Tourism-I	50
	A533	3. Geography of India-I	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – V	Special Level: Political Science		
	A541	1. Public Administration – I	50
	A542	2. International Politics – I	50
	A543	3. Comparative Govt. and Politics – I	50
	A544	4. Western Political Thought – I	50
	A545	5. Political Sociology – I	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – V	Special Level: Sociology		
	A551	1. Population and Society - I	50
	A552	2. Crime and Society – I	50
	A553	3. Social Welfare and Social Legislation – I	50
	A554	4. Industrial Sociology – I	50
	A555	5. Kinship, Marriage and Family – I	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – V	Special Level: Economics		
	A561	1. Development and Environmental Economics - I	50
	A562	2. International Economics – I	50
	A563	3. Co-operation – I	50
	A564	4. Banking and Financial Markets – I	50
	A565	5. Business Environment – I	50
Total Marks			300

T.Y.B.A. Semester - VI

Semester	Code	Course / Subject Title	Marks
	A601	Compulsory English – II	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – VI	Special Level: English		
	A611	1. Understanding Drama – II	50
	A612	2. Understanding Fiction – II	50
	A613	3. Speaking and Writing Skills in English – II	50
	A614	4. Literary Criticism: Theory and Practice – II	50
	A615	5. Structure and Function of Modern English – II	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – VI	Special Level: Marathi		
	A621	1. एका अर्वाचीन वाङ्मयप्रकाराचा अभ्यास – कादंबरी - I	50
	A622	2. साठोत्तरी साहित्य : सामाजिक व सांस्कृतिक पर्यावरण - I	50
	A623	3. साहित्यसिद्धांतांची ओळख-I	50
	A624	4. भाषाविज्ञान-I	50
	A625	5. संज्ञापनकौशल्ये आणि जनसंवादमाध्यमे -I	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – VI	Special Level: Geography		
	A631	Resource and Environment-II	50
	A632	Geography of Tourism-II	50
	A633	Geography of India-II	50
	A634	Practical Course-II: Fundamentals Cartographic Information System (GIS)	100
	A635	Practical Course-III: Map Reading and Statistical Methods	100
T.Y.B.A. Semester – VI	Special Level: Political Science		
	A641	1. Public Administration – II	50
	A642	2. International Politics – II	50
	A643	3. Comparative Govt. and Politics – II	50
	A644	4. Western Political Thought – II	50
	A645	5. Political Sociology – II	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – VI	Special Level: Sociology		
	A651	1. Population and Society – II	50
	A652	2. Crime and Society – II	50
	A653	3. Social Welfare and Social Legislation – II	50
	A654	4. Industrial Sociology – II	50
	A655	5. Kinship, Marriage and Family – II	50
T.Y.B.A. Semester – VI	Special Level: Economics		
	A661	1. Development and Environmental Economics – II	50
	A662	2. International Economics – II	50
	A663	3. Co-operation – II	50
	A664	4. Banking and Financial Markets – II	50
	A665	5. Business Environment – II	50

Total Marks	300
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A student studying for the Third Year (Special) degree shall study the subjects at Fifth and Sixth Semesters as given below.

- 1) Compulsory English.
- 2) Five papers of the special subject.

SCHEME OF TEACHING:

Class	Subject	Work Load per week		Total work load per week
		Theory	Tutorial	
F.Y.B.A.	Each subject	3	1	04
S.Y.B.A.	Each subject	3	1	04
T.Y.B.A.	Each subject	3	1	04

EXAMINATION

- 1) A candidate shall not be admitted to the any Semester Examination of the First Year, Second Year and Third Year, unless he/she has satisfactorily kept the respective terms for the courses at the college of this University.
- 2) An application (which must be in the prescribed form and accompanied by the prescribed fee) for admission to any of the examination of B.A. Degree Course shall be submitted by a candidate to the Registrar through the Principal of the college attended by him/her on or before the prescribed date along with a certificate from the Principal. (i) of his/her having attended the course and kept the terms in the various subjects and of having satisfied the other conditions laid down by the University and (ii) of his/her being fit candidate for the examination.
- 3) A candidate shall not be admitted to the First Year of B.A. examination for the first time unless he/she produces a certificate from the Principal to the effect that he/she has attended at least 3/4th of the aggregate number of periods for Physical Training or has been exempted there from on the ground that (a) he/she is medically unfit to undergo such training (b) he/she is a member of the N.C.C. or (c) he/she has been regularly taking part as a member of the college team in the recognised tournaments of the major games.

4) **Internal Evaluation:**

There will be 10 marks for the Internal Evaluation of each subject (Theory) in every semester.

5) **Semester Examination:**

The Semester Examination will be held at the end of the each Term of the first, second and third year, which shall be called "Semester Examination". The Semester Examination of each subject will be of 40 marks and will be of two hours duration. The final result of the student in each subject will be based on the marks obtained by the student in Internal Evaluation and Semester Examination taken together.

6) **Rules regarding ATKT to S.Y./T.Y.B.A.**

a) **S.Y.B.A.**

A student will be allowed to keep terms at S.Y.B.A. level if he/she fails in not more than four heads of passing in courses at first and second semesters taken together.

b) **T.Y.B.A.**

A student will be allowed to keep terms at T.Y.B.A. level, if

- i) he/she fails in not more than four heads of passing in courses at third and fourth semesters taken together.
- ii) he/she clears in all heads of passing at F.Y.B.A. Semester – I and Semester – II.

7) **Environment Studies**

As per the order of Honourable Supreme Court of India, this course is compulsory for every undergraduate student. The college is implementing this module course in Environment Studies in the second year of all degree courses. There will be 50 lectures for this course. The examination will be conducted at the end of Semester IV and will carry 50 marks. These marks will be converted into the grades accordingly. These grades will be mentioned in the degree marksheet. If any student fails in this course, the result of his/her degree course will be withheld by the university.

8) **Standard of Passing**

- a) The candidate who has secured 20 marks out of 50 shall be declared to have passed in the paper.
- b) The candidate who has not secured at least 16 marks in a particular paper in the Semester Examination will have to secure at least 16 marks in the subsequent Semester examination in the particular paper.

Award of Class

A Class should be awarded to a student of B.A. Degree on the aggregate marks in the Second Year and Third Year Examination. The award of class shall be as follows -

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| a) Aggregate 70% and above | - First Class with Distinction |
| b) Aggregate 60% and above but less than 70% | - First Class |
| c) Aggregate 55% and more but less than 60% | - Higher Second Class |
| d) Aggregate 50% and more but less than 55% | - Second Class |
| e) Aggregate 40% and more but less than 50% | - Pass Class |
| f) Below 40% | - Fail |

University Terms

The dates for the commencement and conclusion of the First and the Second terms shall be fixed by the University authorities. The terms can be kept by students, who have registered their names with the University.

Class Improvement:

The rules regarding the improvement of the class of B.A. course will be as follows, as notified by Bharati Vidyapeeth University:

1. The candidate who has passed UG and PG degree examinations of this university with class as shown in column no. 1 and who desires to improve the class as shown in column no. 2 below will be permitted at his/her option to appear for the same examination without being required to keep any terms.

Column no. 1	Column no. 2
Pass Class or Second Class or Higher Second Class or First Class as the case may be	Second Class or Higher Second Class or First Class or First Class with Distiction as the case may be

2. For improvement of class, the candidate will be required to apply and allowed to appear only for the theory examinations.
3. A candidate shall have to reappear for minimum 1/3 and/or maximum of all the theory papers at a time, on which the class is awarded. Candidate should ensure that the examination time table for the subject he is appearing will not clash.
4. Performance of the candidates reappearing for the subject less than 1/3 of the total theory examinations mentioned above will not be considered. However, his/her appearance will be counted as an attempt.
5. If the candidate, who has reappeared for the final year examination under the provisions for his/her class, is successful in improving his/her class by such reappearance, he/she will have to surrender to the university the original degree and the statement of marks that he/she had obtained in that course/subject. Unless original degree and the statement of marks are returned to the university by the candidate, the new degree certificate and statement of marks cannot be issued to the candidate. In the revised degree certificate/statement of marks to be given to the candidate a mention will be made of the fact that he/she improved his/her class under class improvement attempt.
6. A candidate appearing for the improvement of the class/grade shall not be entitled to get benefit of any other rules/orders of the university regarding condonation /grace marks.
7. A candidate appearing for the improvement of class/grade shall not be entitled to get any prize/medal/scholarship/award etc.
8. A candidate who has reappeared for the above examination/s under the provision fails to improve his/her class/grade, his/her performance at such reappearance at such reappearance shall be ignored.
9. If the candidate makes no improvement in the class, then earlier performance will be retained.

10. A candidate will be allowed to reappear for the examination for improvement of class/grade within a period of three years from the date of his/her passing the degree examination.
11. The candidate will be given maximum of three attempts for the improvement of his/her class.
12. The candidate who desires to apply for improvement of class should submit his/her application form for improvement of class from the College/School of Distance Education, Study Centre through which he/she has undergone the course. Form should be submitted for improvement before 31st August for the October/November examination and 28th February for April/May examination season. No form for improvement of class shall be accepted after the prescribe dates for the respective/corresponding examination season.
13. Revised mark-sheet will be issued with remark '**Under improvement attempt**'.

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