

GOVT. DEGREE COLLEGE, RAMKOTE

ADMISSION PROCESS (NEP2020)

Introduction

NEP2020, or the National Education Policy 2020, is a comprehensive policy introduced by the Government of India to transform the education system in the country. It aims to bring about significant changes in various aspects of education, from school to higher education.

Salient Features of NEP2020

The National Education Policy 2020 (NEP2020) in India brings several significant changes compared to the prevalent education policy at the time of its introduction. Here are some key differences between the prevalent education policy and NEP2020:

- **Multidisciplinary Approach:** NEP2020 promotes a multidisciplinary approach to education, encouraging students to choose subjects across different disciplines and bridging the gap between arts, sciences, and humanities.
- **Reduction in Content Overload:** NEP2020 emphasizes reducing the content overload in the curriculum to focus on core concepts and critical thinking rather than rote memorization.
- **Skill Development and Vocational Education:** NEP2020 places significant importance on skill development and vocational education, aiming to provide students with practical skills and promote entrepreneurship.
- **Assessment Reforms:** NEP2020 advocates for a shift in assessment methods, aiming to move away from high-stakes examinations and focus on a more comprehensive and holistic assessment of student understanding and skills.
- **Inclusion and Equity:** NEP2020 emphasizes inclusion and equity in education, aiming to address gender and social disparities, provide equal opportunities for marginalized communities, and promote inclusive education for students with disabilities.
- **Research and Innovation:** NEP2020 recognizes the importance of research and innovation in education, encouraging the establishment of research centers and promoting a culture of research among students and teachers.
- **Internationalization:** NEP2020 recognizes the significance of internationalization in education. It encourages collaborations and exchange programs between Indian and foreign institutions, promoting global exposure and cross-cultural learning.

Implementation

NEP2020 is being gradually implemented across educational institutions in India, including University of Jammu. All the proposed changes may take time to fully integrate, but the policy aims to create a more inclusive, flexible, and relevant education system.

The undergraduate programme shall extend over four academic years (eight semesters). The students can exit with a:

1. **Certificate** after the completion of one academic year (two semesters);
2. **Diploma** after the study of two academic years (four semesters) and
3. **Bachelor degree** after the completion of three academic years (six semesters).
4. A candidate who successfully completes a three-year bachelor's degree with minimum CGPA of 7.5 and wishes to pursue the fourth year of the undergraduate programme shall be allowed to continue the programme to obtain the bachelor's degree with honours/research.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO FOUR YEARS UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES (FYUGP)

Admission to Four years undergraduate programmes (FYUGP) shall be on the basis of merit and availability of seats in a particular "Major Subject". For the selection of the major subject, preference shall be given to the candidates who have studied the concerned subject at higher secondary part-II level.

PAYMENT OF ADMISSION FEE

The student seeking admission to the four years undergraduate programmes (FYUGP) as per NEP 2020 are required to submit the prescribed application form along with requisite fee for the First and second semester courses at the time of seeking admission to 1st semester.

Credit plan of the Four Year Undergraduate Programme (FYUP) under National Education Policy (NEP-2020)

<p>1. Major Course Each student will study for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) 62 Credits in Major for Three Year Graduation b) 94 Credits in Major for Four Year Graduation (Honours) c) 82 Credits in Major for Four Year Graduation (Honours) with Research <p>Major Course can be chosen from any subject from the following five disciplines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I. Natural Science II. Social Science and Behavioural Science III. Arts and Humanities
<p>2. Minor Course* Each student will study</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) 24 credits of Minor course for Three Year Graduation from 1ST to 6Th semester (4 Credits in each Semester) b) 32 Credits of Minor in same subject for Four Year Graduation (Honours) with Research

SUBJECTS OFFERING:

A candidate shall have to opt the following subjects in Ist Semester prescribed as per course framework (Annexure-I&II) for four years under graduate programmes (FYUGP) under National Education Policy NEP 2020.

COURSES	CREDITS
(i) A major course of 4 credits can be chosen as any subject from any discipline (Annexure-I).	04
(ii) A minor course of 4 credits opted by the student shall be from any discipline subject to availability of course in the college.	
Note: Student/s can swap between Major and Minor at the start of Semester 3 only if vacancy/s are available after following procedure laid down for the purpose. The college shall notify the vacancy/s which are to be filled in order of merit out of the applicants.	04
(iii) A student has to opt multidisciplinary courses of 03 credits each from 1st to 3rd semesters from disciplines other than major with the condition that the subject opted shall not be repeated in any semester.	03

(iv)	A student has to opt an ability enhancement course of 03 credits each from (Modern Indian Languages (MIL)- Hindi/Dogri/English/Mathematical Ability) from 1st to 3rd semester.	03
(v)	A student has to opt skill enhancement course of 2 credits each from 1st to 3rd Semester. The course shall be chosen from the basket of courses offered by the college, subject to availability of faculty and infrastructure in the college.	02
(vi)	A student has to study two value added courses (02 credits each) in 1st semester and two value added courses (02 credits each) in 2nd semester as compulsory courses with the condition that the value added courses opted for in 1st semester shall not be repeated in 2nd semester.	02+02
TOTAL		20

Annexure-1

Sr No.	Programme Code	Major Subject (i)	Total Seats	Minor (ii)
1	JU-EDU	JU: Bachelor Of Social And Behavioral Sciences (B.A.) In (Education)	80	Sociology: History Economics:
2	JU-SOC	JU: Bachelor Of Social And Behavioral Sciences (B.A.) In Sociology	80	Education: History: Economics:
3	JU-POL	JU: Bachelor Of Social And Behavioral Sciences (B.A.) In (Political Science)	80	Education Sociology History Economics

Annexure-II

MD, SEC, AECC and VAC

**(iii) Multidisciplinary course (3 Credits) and
(iv) Skill course (2 Credits) will be offered to the students at the time of admission, subject to availability of faculty and infrastructure in the college.**

(v) Ability enhancement course (03 credits) from Modern Indian Languages (MIL)-

- (a) Hindi
- (b) Dogri
- (c) English

(vi & vii) Value Added Courses (VA): Four credits comprising of two courses (02 credits each) in 1st and 2nd semester are compulsory courses:

- (a) Understanding India
- (b) Environmental Science and Education
- (c) Digital Technology
- (d) Health and Wellness**

NOTE:

1. The students can opt Minor Course from any discipline.
2. The Multidisciplinary course/s of 03 Credits are to be chosen from the disciplines other than Major. Further, the Multidisciplinary course shall not be repeated in any semester.
3. The students opting English/ English Literature as Minor Course cannot opt Functional English as Multidisciplinary Course.
4. The students opting Hindi as Minor Course cannot opt Hindi Literature as Multidisciplinary Course.

Course Framework of the Four Year Undergraduate Programme (FYUGP) under National Education Policy (NEP)-2020

Semester	Semester-1	Semester-2	Semester-3	Semester-4	Semester-5	Semester-6	Semester-7	Semester-8	
Courses	Certificate		UG Diploma		UG Degree (3 yrs)			4 YR UG Honours	4 YR UG Honours with Research
Major	4-Credits (100 Levels)	4-Credits (100 Levels)	8-Credits (2 Courses) (200 Levels)	16-Credits (4 Courses) (200 Levels)	14-Credits (3 courses- 4- Credits, 1-Course- 2 Credits) (300 Levels)	16-Credits (4 courses- 4- Credits) (300 Levels)	16-Credits (400 Levels)	16-Credits (400 Levels)	4-Credits (400Levels)
Minor	4-Credits (100 Levels)	4-Credits (100 Levels)	4-Credits (200 & above)	4-Credits (200 & above)	4-Credits (200 & above)	4-Credits (200 & above)	4-Credits (300 & above)	4-Credits (300 & above)	4-Credits (300 & above)
Course from other disciplines as Multidisciplinary(MD) Foundation Course	3-Credits	3-Credits	3-Credits	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) *MIL, English Language (General), Communication Skills, Mathematical Ability	3-Credits	3-Credits	3-Credits	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)/ Internship/ Dissertation	2-Credits	2-Credits	2-Credits	-----	2-Credits (Summer internship)	-----	-----	-----	12-Credits (Research Project/ Dissertation)
Value added Courses (VAC) Understanding India, Environmental Science & Education, Digital Technology, Health and Wellness	4-Credits (2 courses of 2 credits each)	4-Credits (2 courses of 2 credits each)	2-Credits (**optional)	2-Credits (**optional)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Total Credits (120 Credits) – 3Yr UG Degree + 4 credits optional (160 Credits)- 4 Yr UG Degree + 4 credits optional	20-Credits	20-Credits	20-Credits + 2-Credits (optional)	20-Credits + 2-Credits (optional)	20-Credits	20-Credits	20-Credits	20-Credits	20-Credits

*MIL includes Hindi, Dogri, Urdu and Punjabi

**Value Added Optional Courses: Community Engagement, NCC, NSS, Sports, Culture & Yoga

Note- Practicals/Tutorials in science/other subjects (Major/Minor) are extension of the theory programme and is an inbuilt (3+1) credit course i.e. 3 credits of theory and 1 credit of Practical/Tutorial except in 02 credits Major course of 5th Semester.