



MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KERALA

Abstract

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Sanskrit (Special) Nyaya - Fifth Semester - Modifications to the Syllabus Index, Course Outcomes, Course Content and pattern for End Semester Evaluation - Approved - Orders issued.

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No. 6098/ACA 16/2026/MGU

Priyadarsini Hills, Dated: 16.06.2026

Read:- 1. U.O. No. 5797/ACA16/2024/MGU, Dated. 27.06.2024.

2. Minutes of the meeting of the Expert Committee on Sanskrit (UG).

3. Orders of the Vice Chancellor under Section 10(17), Chapter III of the Mahatma Gandhi University Act 1985, dated. 11.06.2026.

ORDER

The syllabi of various Honours Under Graduate Programmes coming under the MGU-UGP (Honours) Regulations, 2024, have been approved vide paper read as (1) above and published on the website of the University.

The Expert Committee on Sanskrit (UG), at its meeting, discussed the need to modify the Syllabus Index, Course Outcomes, Course Content and pattern for End Semester Evaluation of the DSC / DSE / SEC type courses, References and Suggested Readings of DSC / DSE type courses and to rectify the typographical errors in the course name of DSE type courses in the **Fifth Semester** syllabus of Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Sanskrit (Special) Nyaya programme and has submitted recommendations vide paper read as (2) above. **(Recommendations are attached as Annexure.)**

Considering the urgency of the matter, the Vice Chancellor, in exercise of the powers of the Academic Council vested upon him under Section 10(17), Chapter III of the Mahatma Gandhi University Act 1985, vide paper read as (3), has approved the above recommendations.

Hence, the Course Outcomes, Course Content and pattern for End Semester Evaluation of the said courses in the Fifth Semester syllabus of the Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Sanskrit (Special) Nyaya programme, stands modified to this extent.

Orders are issued accordingly.

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ANNEXURE

SEMESTER V

Syllabus Index (Modified)

Course Code	Title of the Course	Type of the Course DSC, MDC, SEC etc.	Credit	Hours /week	Hour Distribution / week				Page No.
					L	T	P	O	
MG5DSCSSN300	No Change	No Change							13
MG5DSCSSN301									
MG5DSESSN300									
MG5DSESSN301	Nyaya Kusumanjali - I								
MG5DSESSN302	Basic Principles of Indian Philosophy- Excluded Nyaya Vaiseshika Philosophy								
MG5DSESSN303	A Handful of Popular Maxims								
MG5DSESSN304	No Change								
MG5DSESSN305									
MG5SECSSN300									

Course Name : Important Tenets of Syncretic School

Course Code : MG5DSCSSN300

COURSE CONTENT

Content for Classroom Transaction (Units)

Module	Units (Modified)	Course Description (Modified)	Hrs.	CO No.	Page No.
1	No Change		No Change	No Change	98, 99
	1.1	No Change			
	1.2				
	1.3				
2	No Change				
	2.1	No Change			
	2.2				
	2.3				
	2.4 (Included)	Practicum			
3	No Change				
	3.1	No Change			
	3.2	Fire - Air			
	3.3	No Change			
4	No Change				
	4.1	No Change			
	4.2				
	4.3				
5	Teacher Specific Content				

MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 70 Marks		Duration: 2 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10	10x1=10	100
Part B: One or Two Sentences	5 out of 7	5 x 3 =15	
Part C:Paragraph	3 out of 5	3 x 5 = 15	
Part D: Essay	2 out of 4	2 x 15 = 30	

Suggested Reading

1. The Nyaya Theory of Logic - S C Chatterjee

Course Name : Important Tenets of Syncretic School Course Code : MG5DSCSSN300 (Repetition of Course Syllabus)	Pages 102 -105 (Deleted)
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Course Name : Critical Examination of Doubt and Means of Knowledge

Course Code : MG5DSCSSN301

COURSE OUTCOMES

CO No. (Modified)	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PO No.	Page No.
1	No Change	No Change	No Change	106
2				
3				
4				
5	Removed			

COURSE CONTENT

Content for Classroom Transaction (Units)

Module	Units	Course Description	Hrs.	CO No. (Modified)	Page No.
1	No Change				107, 108
	1.1	No Change	No Change	No Change	
	1.2			1,2,3,4	
	1.3			No Change	
	1.4			No Change	
2	No Change				
	2.1	No Change	No Change	No Change	
	2.2			1,2,3,4	
	2.3			1,2,3,4	
	2.4			No Change	

3	No Change			
	3.1	No Change	No Change	1,2,3,4
	3.2			
	3.3			
4	No Change			
	4.1	No Change	No Change	No Change
	4.2			1,2,3,4
	4.3			
5	Teacher Specific Content			

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MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 70 Marks		Duration: 2 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10	10x1=10	100
Part B: One or Two Sentences	5 out of 7	5 x 3 =15	
Part C:Paragraph	3 out of 5	3 x 5 = 15	
Part D: Essay	2 out of 4	2 x 15 = 30	

References (Modified)

1. Nyayabhashya of Vatsyayana

Course Name : Detailed Study of Vaiseshika Categories

Course Code : MG5DSESSN300

COURSE OUTCOMES

CO No. (Modified)	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains (Modified)	PO No.	Page No.
1	No Change	K	No Change	110, 111
2		No Change		
3				
4				
5	Removed			
6				
7				
8				

COURSE CONTENT

Content for Classroom Transaction (Units)

Module	Units	Course Description	Hrs.	CO No. (Modified)	Page No.
1	No Change				111, 112
	1.1	No Change	No Change	1,2,3,4	
	1.2				
	1.3				
2	No Change				1,2,3,4
	2.1	No Change	No Change		
	2.2	No Change	No Change		
	2.3				

3	No Change				111, 112
	3.1	No Change	No Change	1,2,3,4	
	3.2				
	3.3				
4	No Change				
	4.1	No Change	No Change	1,2,3,4	
	4.2				
	4.3				
5	Teacher Specific Content				

MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 70 Marks		Duration: 2 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10	10x1=10	113
Part B: One or Two Sentences	5 out of 7	5 x 3 =15	
Part C:Paragraph	3 out of 5	3 x 5 = 15	
Part D: Essay	2 out of 4	2 x 15 = 30	

Course Name : Nyaya Kusumanjali - I

Course Code : MG5DSESSN301

MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 70 Marks		Duration: 2 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10	10x1=10	117
Part B: One or Two Sentences	5 out of 7	5 x 3 =15	
Part C:Paragraph	3 out of 5	3 x 5 = 15	
Part D: Essay	2 out of 4	2 x 15 = 30	

References

1,Nyaya Kusumanjali (Sthabaka - I) of Udayanacharya

**Course Name : Basic Principles of Indian Philosophy- Excluded Nyaya
Vaiseshika Philosophy**

Course Code : MG5DSESSN302

Course Name (Modified)	Existing	Modified	Page No. 118
	Basic Principles of Indian Philosophy- d Excluded Nyaya Vaiseshika Philosophy	Basic Principles of Indian Philosophy- Excluded Nyaya Vaiseshika Philosophy	

MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 70 Marks		Duration: 2 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10	10x1=10	121
Part B: One or Two Sentences	5 out of 7	5 x 3 =15	
Part C:Paragraph	3 out of 5	3 x 5 = 15	
Part D: Essay	2 out of 4	2 x 15 = 30	

References

1. A Critical Study of Indian Philosophy by Chandradhar Sharma
2. Indian Philosophy – Dr S. Radhakrishnan.

Course Name : A Handful of Popular Maxims

Course Code : MG5DSESSN303

COURSE OUTCOMES

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains (Modified)	PO No.	Page No.
1	No Change	K	No Change	122 , 123
2		No Change		
3				
4				
5				

MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 70 Marks		Duration: 2 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10	10x1=10	124
Part B: One or Two Sentences	5 out of 7	5 x 3 =15	
Part C:Paragraph	3 out of 5	3 x 5 = 15	
Part D: Essay	2 out of 4	2 x 15 = 30	

Course Name : Indian Logic Medieval Periods

Course Code : MG5DSESSN304

COURSE CONTENT

Content for Classroom Transaction (Units)

Module	Units	Course Description	Hrs. (Modified)	CO No.	Page No.
1	No Change				127,128
	1.1	No Change	No Change	No Change	
	1.2				
	1.3				
2		Module - 2	20	No Change	
	2.1	No Change	5		
	2.2		No Change		
	2.3				
	2.4				
3		Module - 3	15	No Change	
	3.1	No Change	No Change		
	3.2		5		
	3.3		No Change		
4		Module - 4	10	No Change	
	4.1	No Change	4		
	4.2		3		
	4.3		3		
5	Teacher Specific Content				

MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 70 Marks		Duration: 2 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10	10x1=10	129
Part B: One or Two Sentences	5 out of 7	5 x 3 =15	
Part C:Paragraph	3 out of 5	3 x 5 = 15	
Part D: Essay	2 out of 4	2 x 15 = 30	

Course Name : Treatment of Objects of Valid Knowledge in Nyaya Prakarana Grandha

Course Code : MG5DSESSN305

MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 70 Marks		Duration: 2 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10	10x1=10	132
Part B: One or Two Sentences	5 out of 7	5 x 3 =15	
Part C:Paragraph	3 out of 5	3 x 5 = 15	
Part D: Essay	2 out of 4	2 x 15 = 30	

Course Name : Vaiseshika Theory on Karma

Course Code : MG5SECSSN300

COURSE OUTCOMES

CO No. (Modified)	Expected Course Outcome)	Learning Domains (Modified)	PO No.	Page No.
1	No Change	K	No Change	134, 135
2		No Change		
3				
4				
5	Removed			
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COURSE CONTENT

Content for Classroom Transaction (Units)

Module	Units	Course Description	Hrs.	CO No. (Modified)	Page No.
1	No Change				135, 136
	1.1	No Change	No Change	1,2,3,4	
	1.2			1,2,3,4	
	1.3			1,2,3,4	
2	No Change				
	2.1	No Change	No Change	1,2,3,4	
	2.2			1,2,3,4	
	2.3			1,2,3,4	
3	No Change				

	3.1	No Change	No Change	1,2,3,4	135, 136
	3.2			1,2,3,4	
	3.3			1,2,3,4	
	3.4			1,2,3,4	
	3.5			1,2,3,4	
4	Teacher Specific Content				

MODE OF ASSESSMENT

B. End Semester Evaluation (Modified)			
Theory			
MAX.MARKS: 50 Marks		Duration: 1.5 Hrs	
Type of Questions	Number of Questions to be Answered	Marks	Page No.
Part A: One Word	10 out of 10	10 x 1=10	136
Part B: One or Two Sentences	10 out of 12	10 x 2 =20	
Part C: Paragraph	2 out of 4	2x 10 =20	